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## OLD HOME TOWN GETS FAMOUS

### Senate Probers Wake Up Washington Courthouse

WASHINGTON COURTHOUSE, Ohio, April 11.—This little town awoke today with the realization that this was the day when its leading citizens came under the penetrating scrutiny of a senatorial investigating committee.

Washington Court House, small little farming community, has been frequently mentioned in the papers as the home of Roxie Stinson, Jess Smith and others who by their testimony caused the retirement of Attorney General Daugherty, also a native, but the citizens here never dreamed of a senate committee coming into town.

Half of the townpeople were waiting on the streets for a glimpse of Senators Brookhart and Wheeler who were delegated to examine the books of the Midland National bank of which Malcolm S. Daugherty, a brother of the former attorney general of the United States is president.

The bank's books had been subpoenaed several weeks ago by the Daugherty committee but Mal Daugherty refused to bring them to Washington and the committee decided to send a subcommittee down here in the belief that the books contain evidence of the financial operations of Harry Daugherty, Jess Smith and close personal friend and others.

Senators Brookhart and Wheeler arrived early today.

Quit Mal Daugherty

The sub-committee proposed to take testimony from Daugherty who refused to arrange a subpoena to come to Washington in connection with stories given the committee by Roxie Stinson, former wife of the late Jess Smith.

Mal Daugherty, himself, big, bluff and always speaking in a loud voice was confident that the senators would reveal animating discrepancies, pointing to either himself or his brother, the former attorney general.

And the townspeople of Washington Court House were just as sure, as several of them said, that "nothing would come of this 'housetown probe'."

### Lions Park Given Attention By City

The city has furnished lights. The grounds are being placed in excellent condition. And all that is needed now, Ed Lohmann, chairman of the park committee, told the Lions club at their meeting today noon, is the park with which to make the band stand in Lions Park look better.

"And we're going to get busy on that right away," Chairman Lohmann concluded.

### LIONS PICK WILLIAMS

M. H. Williams was elected a member of the Port Arthur Lions club today noon when the organization met in regular session at the Plaza hotel.

### After Suffering For Years, a Houston Man Finds Quick Relief

### Merritone Quickly Puts Him in Good Shape Again

"It is a real pleasure for me to warmly recommend Merritone to my friends and acquaintances," said Mr. M. B. Dunbar of 1075 Sherman street, Houston, Texas, in talking to the Merritone man at the Public Drug Store No. 3 the other day. "It has done me such a world of good that I am really enthusiastic about it."

"I had suffered for over three years with kidney and bladder trouble, gradually getting worse all the time. I tried in vain different kinds of medicines but nothing seemed to give me any relief."

"I went through all sorts of treatment; a dull steady ache across my back all the time becoming very severe at nights—drowsy spells with floating black spots in front of my eyes were the least unusual exertion; I was forced to be up several times every night; I lost sleep, appetite and was just getting in a run-down condition all over."

"I had often read about Merritone and promised myself that I would drop into a drug store and get a bottle, but kept putting it off. Finally, however, I did get a bottle and before I had been taking it a week I knew that at last I had found the right medicine."

"The pain in my back disappeared within a few days. My appetite returned and I was able to sleep all night without awakening."

"I haven't finished taking the prescribed treatment of five bottles yet, but I never felt better in all my life than I do right now, and I attribute it wholly to Merritone having put me in good shape."

"Mr. Dunbar's experience is like that of many others brought to our attention daily—people grateful for the good that Merritone has done them."

Merritone is a natural medicine. It acts as nature would have it act, gently but persistently, promoting normal action of the entire digestive system and bringing to healthy functioning the kidneys and bladder. Merritone is fully guaranteed to give entire satisfaction or your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Call upon the Merritone men at The Owl Drug Store, The Houston Avenue Drug Store or The American Pharmacy. They will be glad to tell you more about this excellent medicine.—Ad.

## Port Arthur Man Says Somebody Put Rum in Ice Box

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—It took a jury in federal court Thursday afternoon only a few minutes to return a verdict of not guilty against Sam McCauley of Port Arthur. He was charged with possession of intoxicating liquor, but he declared he did not put it in his refrigerator and did not know how it got there.

He was the second Port Arthur man to testify that someone had put liquor about his store without his knowledge and to be freed on such a statement.

E. Kozera, also of Port Arthur was found not guilty on a liquor possession charge. Mrs. Thomas Burke, Port Arthur was fined \$25 on a charge of possession. Billie Beasley was fined \$150 and Gaston Grooms, also of Port Arthur was fined \$150.

## MULLEN'S SUIT TO END TODAY

### Two Other Port Arthur Cases Due For Trial

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—Hearing in the case of T. A. Mullen against the Tyrell Concrete Realty company will no doubt be completed today in 58th district court. Following this, two other Port Arthur cases are set for hearing. The case of V. J. Wistner against L. Fontana for possession of property on Seventh street will be heard and following this the case of the Travelers Insurance company against L. D. Richmond, also of Port Arthur. Richmond was injured in an accident at the Gulf refinery some time ago and the suit was brought on account of this.

### COURT DOCKET

#### Suits Filed

T. J. Nail vs. O. K. Williams  
S. B. Eddy vs. Mystery Oil company

#### Divorces Filed

Mary Bell Browne vs. Edward Leslie Brown  
Ruth Burman vs. Robert Burman

Step Bradshaw and Mrs. Irene Perry  
C. A. Lattigue and Miss Irma Stewart

O. Cole and Miss Eula Mae Jarnison  
R. A. Woods and Mrs. Maxine Payne

#### Automobile Licenses

W. K. McDougle, Guffey, Ford.  
V. H. Trahan, 415 Procter street, Port Arthur, Ford.

H. R. McCullough, 46 Mobile, Port Arthur, Ford.

C. M. Chm, 1838 DeQueen boulevard, Port Arthur, Ford.

George Faircloth, Woodworth building, Port Arthur, Ford.

J. S. Shanner, 1836 Fourteenth street, Port Arthur, Gray

## FEDERAL JURY STILL AT WORK

### Port Arthurians Among Twelve Indicted

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—The federal grand jury was in session again here Friday morning, and there is every indication that several narcotic indictments in Beaumont and Port Arthur will be brought in during the day.

Twelve indictments were returned Thursday, of which three were against women. Dorothy Davis Kilmer and Orelia Serr, both of Port Arthur are charged with possession and Helen Hall, of Sabine, is alleged to have a pint of liquor in her possession on February 23.

A charge of possession was returned against Roy Freeman of Port Arthur. Other charges were directed to Curt Griggs, Willie Harrington and George Henry.

A charge of obtaining war risk insurance from the government on false pretenses was filed against Clara Jasper. She obtained insurance, alleging she was the sister of a man killed during the war, it is claimed.

### BLAIR CONVICTED OF FOOD VIOLATION

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—Robert T. Blair was fined \$25 in federal court Thursday afternoon on a charge of violating the pure food and drug acts. He was charged with shipping a case of eggs from Timpson to Shreveport that were not in good condition.

### ALLEGED BRIBERY CHARGE IS PROBED

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—George Garvey, alias "Blackie" Garvey went to trial Friday morning in federal court on a charge of attempting to bribe Bee Cowan from arresting him for a liquor violation.

It is alleged that Garvey offered Cowan \$150 to let him alone.

### PORT ARTHUR CAR REPORTED STOLEN

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—Local police have been asked to look for a Chevrolet automobile, license number 331805, stolen from Port Arthur. The machine was taken Thursday night.

Report of a battery stolen from a Ford car was made by Charles Culotta. It was parked on College street here at the time it was taken.

### BEAUMONT FINE FOR ACCUSING EX-WIFE

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—A man was fined \$10 and costs Friday morning in corporation court by Judge J. D. Campbell. He met his

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wife, from whom he was separated Thursday afternoon in Kella park and tried to get her to talk to him. When she refused, he held her by the arm and attempted to hold her while he talked to her. In the meantime a policeman appeared on the scene and arrested the husband.

### BOYS ACCUSED OF RIFLING REGISTER

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—Two boys employed by the Home Bakery are alleged to have pried the top off a cash register and stolen between ten and eleven dollars. The according to the scrap book were engaged been working at the bakery but a few days.

### JUDGE JOHNSON TO RETURN MONDAY

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—Judge J. B. Johnson will return to his office next Monday after a week's absence. He appeared at the court house Monday at commissioner's court and announced that he would take a vacation. Affairs of his office are being attended to in part by William McNeill, county purchasing agent.

### PARADE OPENS POLICEMAN'S RODEO

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—A parade through the business district at 12 o'clock today officially opened the policeman's rodeo. The rodeo was postponed a day on account of the heavy rain which fell Wednesday night and the procession originally scheduled for Thursday will be carried out today. Proceeds of the rodeo will go towards the burial fund.

### FORMER DEPUTY CONSTABLE FINE

### Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 11.—R. L. Bates, former deputy constable, was found guilty on a bribery charge in 60th district court Thursday afternoon and given a five-year suspended sentence. The verdict was received by Judge George O'Brien since Judge McDowell went home at noon on account of illness. Bates is the first county officer to be tried on a grand jury indictment.

### LLOYD-GEORGE ILL

### By United Press

LONDON, April 11.—Ex-Premier David Lloyd George was confined to his home today with an attack of bronchial trouble. His illness was stated not to be serious.

### SIMPLE WAY TO TAKE OFF FAT

There can be nothing simpler than taking a convenient little tablet four times each day until your weight is reduced to normal. That's all—just purchase a box of Marmola Prescription Tablets from your druggist for one dollar, the same price the druggist pays for them. Follow directions—no starvation dieting or strenuous exercising. That substantial food—no exercise as you like and keep on getting thinner. Purchase them from your druggist or send direct to Marmola Co., 441 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.—Ad.

## A Bitter Smile



Harry M. Daugherty (right), after resigning as attorney general, left for Atlantic City. Photo shows him at the railroad station with his friend, just before boarding train (shown in background).

## City Splits Order For Sewer Piping

### When sealed bids on piping for sewerage and water lines were opened by city commissioners this morning during regular session, it was learned bids from two companies were identical.

No other bids being received, the commission decided to purchase a car of piping from each company. The bids were received from the National Cast Iron and Pipe company and the United States Cast Iron and Pipe company, both of which bid \$75.50 per ton.

## TOOTHBRUSH GIFTS

PEKIN, April 11.—Hsiong-Kei-jan, Chinese military leader, has presented each of his soldiers with a lumbar-chief inscribed with eight characters reminding them of their meritorious service. Other generals are distributing wash cloths and toothbrushes.

The Victoria Falls in Africa are more than twice the height of Niagara.

## BOARD TAKES UP PLEASURE PIER

### Park Committee Calls In Y. M. B. L.

### Special to The News

A conference of YMBL officials and members of the city park board was held in the chamber of commerce auditorium this morning. It was learned today, relative to disposal of the Pleasure Pier.

President R. Lyle, Perry Pace, Ed Lohmann, James E. Day were among the members of the YMBL called into conference with the park board, it is understood, to discuss the feasibility of plans submitted the city for operation of the pier. Just what will be the recommendations of the park board to the commission when the two bodies confer this afternoon at 2 o'clock has not been divulged.

However, it is probable the board will favor bids on individual concessions, rather than upon the entire pier, it was thought today.

Snoring can be cured by an operation on the air passages, says a well-known scientist.

In New York 254,803 dead were found in various parts of city last year.

## KI-MOIDS

QUICK RELIEF For INDIGESTION

## "SHE'S A GOOD LOOKING GIRL"

You can't expect people to that about you as long as your appearance shows you are careless about keeping your skin free from pimples, "bearding out" and eczema. You may feel it is you have no way of getting rid of these things, but should not give up because Black & White Ointment is proving to the minds of people every day that it can depend on it to keep their skin clear, smooth and lovely. Black and White Ointment is a medically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it.—Ad.

## "IF ANYONE WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT TANLAC LET THEM SEE ME"

### Says Joseph Baker of Memphis In Praising World's Greatest Tonic—Tells of Recovery.

"If anybody wants to find out about Tanlac, just let them see me," is the hearty suggestion of Joseph H. Baker, 550 North Third St., Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. Baker went overseas with the famous Third Division during the World War and participated in the St. Michael, Valley of Woynes and Arizona drives, having been cited for bravery in action in the Arizona. He is now a popular member of the Memphis Fire Department.

"When I came back from over there," said he, "I was in a night and day. I had been gassed and after getting home I got down with pneumonia. This left me 'all in' with appetite down in weight, liver of fat, and suffering from constipation, biliousness and headaches all out end."

"Tanlac put me to eating as new before. It shot my weight up five pounds and made a strong, well in of me—and I feel fine even to this day. I can't say enough for Tanlac. Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over a Million bottles sold."

Take Tanlac Vegetable Pills.—Ad.

# Continuing Our 10th Anniversary Sale

JUST ONE MORE WEEK—of this wonderful Anniversary Sale, which reduces everything in our store to about cost. Hundreds and hundreds of dollars have and will continue to be saved as long as this sale lasts. Remember a week from tomorrow, this sale closes.

## SALE OF MEN'S SUITS

\$14.10  
\$19.10—\$24.10

Mister Man—there is a suit for every liking among one of these three groups. There are mixtures, solids, stripes and plaids in every popular material, in the assortment and styles are here for youths, young men, and older men. Surely you won't put off buying longer than tomorrow at these prices.



## Straw Hats



Tomorrow is straw hat day and you who have been thinking where you would buy—come here and take advantage of the lowest prices in Port Arthur.

\$2 - \$2.50 - \$3

## Blue Serge Suits

\$8.95 to \$12.50

At the above prices, blue serges are included in all sizes, for boys. Materials are the best here and styles are the kind that will catch the boys' eyes.



Boys' white blouses, in all styles, are priced 69c to \$1.50  
Boys' blue serge caps are priced at 75c to \$1.50

White ties for the boys are priced 35c  
Boys' guaranteed Cadet hose are priced 39c

## Extras for Men Only

Men's Socks	20c values all colors	10c	Khaki Pants	Finch's \$2.50 value	\$1.69
Men's Belts	50c values special	19c	Men's Felt Hats	Up to \$6 values	\$2.99
Men's Union Suits	\$1.00 values 34 to 40	49c	Work Shirts	\$1.00 values blue and gray	59c
Men's Shirts	\$2.00 values, madras, percale	99c	Union Suits	Up to \$2 values	99c

## 150 New Dresses in Three Groups \$9 - \$14.50 - \$19.10

150 dresses that you would expect to pay as high as \$39.50 are among one of the three groups that go on sale tomorrow morning. All colors, all styles, all sizes are among them.

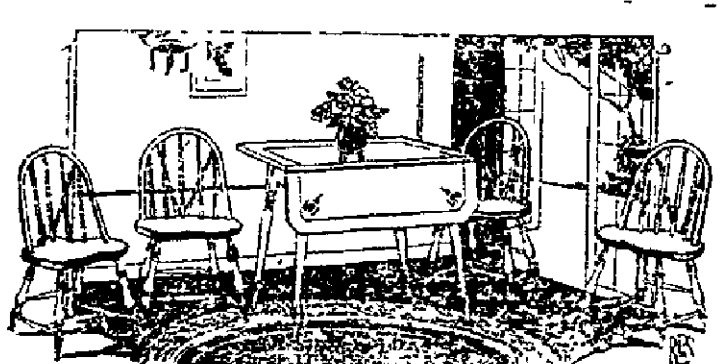
Ladies' \$2.50 Jersey Petticoats reduced to	\$1.79	Ladies' \$7.50 Silk Blouses reduced to	\$4.98
Ladies' \$7.50 all wool skirts reduced to	\$3.95	Ladies' \$8.50 linen dresses, all colors, sizes	\$4.98

## Toggery Shop

"SALE FOR LESS"

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## Breakfast Set Sale—5-Pc. Set



\$36.50  
Easy Terms

## 17 Piece Imported Tea Set FREE

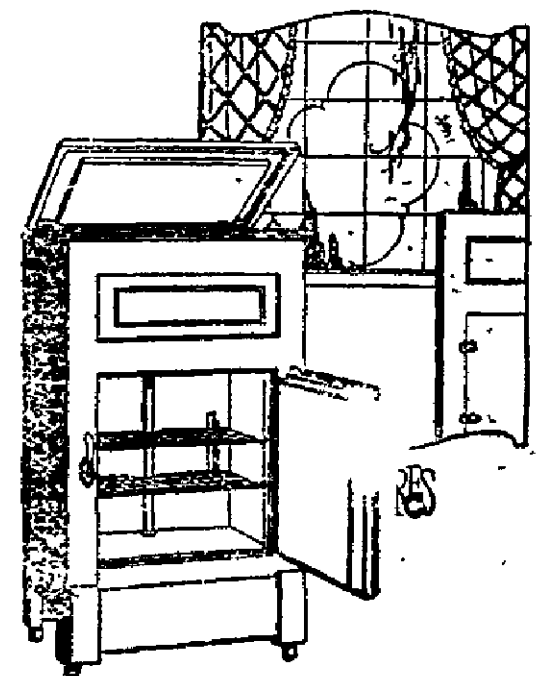
### AN ATTRACTIVE ENAMEL BREAKFAST SUITE \$36.50

These breakfast suites are made of hard wood then enameled and decorated by hand in very attractive colored enamels. The one illustrated is in light blue with dark blue decoration. There are many colors from which you may select.

The table is of the drop-leaf type. 5 piece set \$36.50

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You will find our prices lower on refrigerators. We carry a complete stock of the Gurney and Leonrad Cleanable Refrigerators we all know to give the utmost in service and economy. Let us show you. You can buy them on easy terms and trade your old box in.



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# **SLUMP BOOSTED AS G.O.P. CHIEF**

**Coolidge Undetermined On  
Choice of Keynote**

By Lawrence Martin  
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WASHINGTON, April 11.—In looking about for someone to lead his campaign after the nominating convention, President Coolidge is understood to have fixed his glance early on C. Bascom Sloop, his secretary. Accordingly, a vigorous campaign is under way to make Sloop chairman of the republican national committee at the Cleveland convention in June.

**Adams Friends Organize**  
But at the same time the friends of John T. Adams, present chairman are organizing a fight to keep him in command. This is a direct by close friends of Harry Daugherty and others who do not want complete Coolidge domination of the party.

It has always been understood that Adams would retire at Cleveland. But now the Daugherty case came up and Adams and George B. Lockwood, secretary of the committee have headed a group which differed strongly with those who thought Daugherty ought to be forced out for the good of the party. They have not hesitated to also their disagreement with Lockwood, Pepper, Borah and other senators who demanded that Daugherty be dismissed.

**Sloop Not Probable**  
Sloop, who today seemed the most probable Coolidge candidate for the chairmanship, which carries with it the responsibility of conducting the campaign, has proved himself extremely useful to the president and as an improved Mr. Coolidge is inseparable companion. He is traveling all over the world with him. Every place he goes, the "bummer-shoot" goes—rain or shine.

groups to yield to the views of other groups on the degree of reduction and the method of tax redistribution which will make up for the revenue lost by reduction.

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President Coolidge will again be appealed to for a statement of views. He is expected to accompany reorganization of his approval of the Mellon plan with a sharp reminder that the country is getting tired waiting for action. The president as well as congress has been hearing from the country in this regard.

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The bonus bill meanwhile awaits decision of the democrats on the finance committee. It is expected that bonus advocates will be able to get a favorable report on the measure tomorrow.

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**SENATE TAKES  
UP TAX BILLS**

has 3 Main Plans But None Acceptable

By Paul R. Mallon  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
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Meanwhile the clamor from the country for tax reduction legislation increases. Within the past week senators said their mail on this subject has almost doubled.

Split into many groups of thought on taxes, the senate has before it three main plans and half a dozen compromise ideas, most of the latter still in nebulous form. The principal proposals are the original Mellon education program, to which administration dealers still cling stoutly; the house committee promise and the senate democratic proposals.

**None Acceptable**  
To many senators, none of these three is acceptable and there is a movement on to evolve a fourth plan, embodying some features of all the other three.

The fight, as in the house, promises to center upon the issue of taxing big incomes as against little ones. It is a situation in which everyone agrees that taxes must be reduced, but there is stubborn unwillingness on the part of various

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Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

# **WHAT PORT ARTHUR NEEDS— to bring it up to date**

As far as it concerns us and our business, we feel that its citizens are entitled to the best the markets of the country produce at the closest possible prices. Port Arthur will grow, but in order to be greater, the above rules must govern. We feel that way, building our business on that foundation, and are growing slowly but surely.

# **WE SELL SHOES**

Our new stock of shoes for men, women, boys and girls are selling at the lowest possible prices without a sacrifice of quality either. For CASH. And that is the reason we can do what we are doing. Several of the newest Easter styles for ladies, also girls, have arrived. We are also agents for Martha Washington Shoes for ladies. For men, we have besides our standard brands, the

**STACY ADAMS SHOES**

**The L. Schuh Store**  
Seventh and Houston

# **NEFF AND LOVE IN STIFF BATTLE**

**Contest For Texas Delegation to Demo Meet**

(Continued from Page 1.)  
instructed or whether it should support McAdoo.

Apparently the plan is neither solidly sold for McAdoo nor solidly sold in favor of an unqualified delegation. The leaders are 100 per cent in agreement that Underwood instruction should be refused.

Just how much vigor Neff puts into his opening speech at Cleburne Monday will depend somewhat on what McAdoo says in his Dallas speech Friday night. If McAdoo declares that he does not ask 40 instructed delegates from Texas, Neff probably in his opening speech will refer to McAdoo, as one who has finally seen the Neff viewpoint—that no instructed delegates should be sent to New York by Texas. But if McAdoo, after hearing Love's reports, decides to continue the fight for McAdoo delegates, Neff proposes to go right down the middle of the road in battle array, telling the voters just why he believes that McAdoo is not entitled to instructed delegates.

**Battle for Leadership**

In any event, the War convention on the present line-up, will prove a decisive battle for leadership of Texas democracy. When the "nook" clears up either National Committeeman Love will be retired as a state leader, or Governor Neff will find himself at least temporarily retired by Love and his associates, who include a large number of war time federal appointees. If Neff wins, he will lead up the 40 delegates from Texas as a strong political leader who has refused to become a favorite son tool of a stronger candidate. If Love wins, his past political history indicates that he will go all the way, and refuse Neff a seat among the 40 delegates.

Love in perfect control of the 1920 Texas delegation to San Francisco, did not bother himself about tendering a place as delegate at large to Governor Hobby. Love has previously stated that he did not consider a governor in his third year as a political factor of more than considerable size, and that he believes "honors should be passed around among the boys."

**Not After Own Delegates**

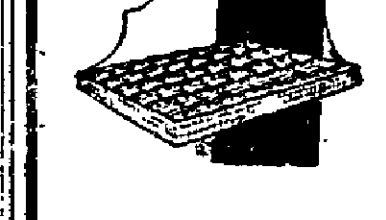
Neff's attitude is that neither McAdoo nor Underwood should be given the Texas 40 delegates. He is not asking for delegates himself but believes that some candidate will appear at the New York convention who will be a proper candidate, who will provide a rallying point with the full strength of progressive dry forces of Texas. Neff believes that McAdoo has eliminated himself because of his income tax activities and because of his connection with the oil scandal. He believes that Underwood's lifelong opposition of prohibition and of woman suffrage does not represent Texas democratic sentiment.

**Stuckey and Dunn  
Delegates of Lions**

Upon recommendation of a nominating committee headed by J. R. Denney, members of the Lions' club, meeting in regular session today noon at the Plaza hotel, voted to send President E. E. Stuckey and Louis Dunn of the Port Arthur Finance company to the state convention which will be held this month at Paris, Texas.

George Carter, lumberman, and V. T. Littenberger, jeweler, were elected alternates.

**MOVE OLD WINDMILL**  
ALDENBURGH, Eng., April 11.—A century-old windmill has been moved in sections from its old site near Aldenburgh to another three miles inland, where it is being re-erected. It will be used to pump water into a storage tank with a capacity of 20,000 gallons, which is in course of construction.



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Full size fabric link bed springs, regular price \$12.50. Economy price ..... **\$6.25**

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This is a wonderful bargain for this splendid bed. Built for comfort and good looks. Better see this big value.



**Refrigerators**

Refrigerator, finished in white enamel, 20 lb capacity \$11.75  
Refrigerator, in good condition, finished in white enamel, capacity 20 pounds ..... \$7.75  
Refrigerator, white enamel, 25 pound capacity ..... \$11.75  
Refrigerator, gray enamel, 40 pound capacity ..... \$19.75  
Refrigerator, white enamel, 45 pound capacity ..... \$21.75  
Refrigerator, gray enamel, 60 pound capacity ..... \$27.75  
Refrigerator, golden oak, white enamel lining, 75 pound capacity ..... \$29.75

# **Class of Thirteen Will Be Confirmed**

A class of 13 will be confirmed Sunday at the morning service at the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran church at 10 o'clock by Rev. F. W. Siebelitz.

The class is comprised of Ray Johnson of Port Neches, Henry Brockschmidt, John Noack, Irwin Fischer, Walter Ichenhorst, Charles Walther, Edward Boehme, Leonard Schultz, Louise Skeile, Lydia Schultz, Minnie Meyer, Ester Ichenhorst, and Adele Steglich.

# **MARKETS**

WALL STREET JOURNAL  
FINANCIAL REVIEW

By United Press

NEW YORK, April 11.—Further improvement in the reserve ratio of the federal reserve system which rose to 75.3 per cent as against 74.8 per cent a week ago and 76.3 per cent a year ago furnished some steady influence in the early dealing. But the active stocks were still available around the low levels of the more and were held down by additional indications of curtailment in the mine and steel industries of which the most important was the announcement from Sharon that the American Sheet and Tinplate company was reducing to five days.

**OPENING PRICES**

Union Pacific 129, off 1.  
Southern Railway 52.  
Bethlehem Steel 312, off 1.  
Maryland Oil 23, up 1.  
Pan-American 455, off 1.  
New York Central 100, up 1.  
General Motors 114.  
Northern Pacific 100, up 1.  
American Can 98, up 1.  
American T. and T. 125, off 1.  
Studebaker 89, up 1.  
Baldwin 112, up 1.  
Windsor 100, up 1.  
Industrial Alcohol 63.  
Sincclair 21, off 1.  
United States Rubber 25, off 1.  
Republic Steel 45, off 1.  
Hendling 23, off 1.  
United States Steel 95.

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE**

NEW YORK, April 11.—Foreign exchange market lower.  
Sterling \$1.34.  
France 165.2.  
Belgium 350.9.  
Mark 4,500,000,000,000 to the dollar.  
Guilder 31.22.

Canada now has more than 100,000 radio users.

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Chronic Indigestion, Stomach, Kidney, Bladder, Skin, Blood, Nerve, Piles, Etc.

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# **G. O. P. Worker**



Mrs. Nettie M. Clapp, chairman of the committee of women for the Republican National Convention, has opened her offices in Public Hall in Cleveland. She is a member of the Ohio State Legislature.

A gray, lowering sunset, or one where the sky is green or yellowish-green, indicates rain.

# **S.S.S. keeps away Pimples**

THERE are thousands of women who wonder why their complexions do not improve in spite of all the face treatments they use. They should not consult a woman who has eruptions on her face. S.S.S. is acknowledged to be one of the most powerful, rapid and effective blood purifiers known. S.S.S. builds new blood-cells. This is why S.S.S. roots out of your system the impurities which cause boils, pimples, blackheads, acne, blotches, eczema, tetter, rash. S.S.S. is a remarkable flesh-builder. That's why underweight people can quickly build up their lost flesh, get back their normal weight, pink, plump cheeks, bright eyes, and "pop."

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Each one of these dresses should and do sell for as much as \$22.95. We have priced them extra special for Saturday in order to prompt you to do your Easter shopping at Goldberg's tomorrow instead of waiting till next week. They are all new spring styles and comes in all sizes, all colors and combinations. Materials are of Satin back crepes, cantons, georgettes, and other pretty spring fabrics.

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# The Editorial Mind

However, Canada  
Odds and Ends and Comments on Our Morning Mail

The Prince of Wales is extremely popular in his country, but he could be shot down in cold blood by a foreigner without starting a war. Fifteen years from now, the British will fight if anybody maliciously scratches him with a bat pin.

So says "Private Peat." You'll be a Canadian soldier who became famous during the war as an author. Maybe his allusion to the prince has a touch of the exaggeration of satire, maybe not.

But Private Peat is talking horse sense. He has a real message—something we all should think about, especially parents.

The reason the assassination of an archduke could cause 35 million young men to arm, says Peat, is that they knew too much about war heroes and too little about other heroes.

"Ask any boy or girl who is the greatest hero. An English child may say, Wellington; an American, Washington; a German, Bismarck; a Frenchman, Foch. None of them will name Christ, Pasteur, Edison or Burbank."

Wars are possible only because the plain people are willing to be lined up and set out to be shot—as chessmen in a game played by Satanistic "statesmen," or to pay the penalty of the blunders of diplomatic lunatics and paranooids.

And people are willing to be cannon-fodder—why? Largely because they are "taught wrong" and generally educated to adore and thrill at the very mention of marching armies.

Says Private Peat: "We who served, know that war has four elements: tears, filth, wooden crosses and a degrading influence. The pupils today are learning that it is glorious, chivalrous and honorable."

History as taught in our schools is part of the vast organization of militarism.

As long as we glorify war and keep the military destroyers in the limelight, while we give only scant attention to the great constructors who perform peacetime services to humanity, just so long shall we have generations growing up ready and eager for war.

Is it not fiendish that history is at least four-fifths a record of military destruction and wholesale murder? It is. Is it not amazing that a schoolroom is more apt to have a bust of Napoleon than a statue of, for instance, the discoverer of antibiotics? It is. And is it not a criminal blunder to give children lead soldiers and other toys that suggest war? The answer again is, yes, and loud. But a glib public which could stop such things, never learns its lesson.

French government offers a prize of 200,000 francs for an airplane that will capture the speed record now held by Americans.

The offering of this prize shows that the airplane still is primarily a military device.

If it were otherwise, the goal of the flying game would be a safe, economical, foolproof plan that could be used as generally as the auto. But war requires speed. So speed is the goal.

A post-mortem examination on the mummy of Merneptah, the Pharaoh who persecuted the Israelites, shows that he died of hardening of the arteries. Merneptah was the thirteenth son of Rameses and ruled over Egypt from 1213 to 1204 B. C. He has recently been identified as the Egyptian king who persecuted the Jews and whose tyranny is graphically described in the Book of Exodus. When his mummy was recently unwrapped, doctors by means of modern scientific methods were able to determine that he died from hardening of the arteries of the heart.

Count Byron Kiera de Proenca, who is in charge of an expedition searching for the original Puma city of Caribbea, reports having made some very interesting discoveries. Among the most interesting things found on the site of Caribbea, says the count in The Mentor for April, are check books, paper money, magnifying spectacles, bronze mirrors, perfume bottles, and boxes filled with rouge and powder.

In Port Arthur, what three thousand years from now? Here's a chance to speculate to your heart's content and no one can say you nay.

## Telling It To CONGRESS

**PHILIPPINE PROBLEM**  
I think the experience with General Wood in the Philippines and his record, wherever he has been sent as a civil governor, effectively bear out the statement repeatedly made by the Filipinos, that instead of encouraging them in the handling of their own affairs, he seized every opportunity to take away their right to control their own affairs. In other words, he is setting back the matter of self-government in the Philippines rather than encouraging it.—Representative Jones (D.) Texas.

**OLD-FASHIONED**  
I am an old-fashioned American. I believe in the government and constitution established by the fathers. I believe in the eighteenth amendment to the constitution and believe it should be enforced.—Representative Sharpe (R.) Pennsylvania.

## 70 P. C. OF PUBLIC FAVOR MELLON TAX CUT PLAN, SAYS DIGEST OF POLL

Seven persons in 10 in the United States favor a reduction of income taxes along the lines laid down by the administration, complete returns of the national poll conducted by the Literary Digest show.

Of the 2,135,069 votes on the final count, 1,479,470 are in favor of a reduction as embodied in the Mellon plan, and 655,539 opposed.

An analysis of the figures would seem to show that the people voted with a feeling for their pocketbooks rather than their politics. The states with the largest volume of taxable personal incomes registered a vigorous affirmative, while those paying a smaller toll to the national treasury were less positive.

New Jersey registers as the most hearty in favor of the plan, with an affirmative vote of almost 8 to 1. Massachusetts is close behind with a vote of 87 per cent favorable. Of the groups of states, the west north central leads with a "Yes" vote of 85.6 per cent.

"New York," states the Digest, "with its huge number of taxable incomes—1,006,637—Pennsylvania with its second largest number—621,103—are among the leaders in favoring the tax reduction according to Mr. Mellon's system. South Dakota, the only state in the union against the plan, has only 21,681 taxpayers out of a total population of 636,547, or approximately one person in 30, as against New York's average of one taxpayer to every 10 persons."

"The two Carolinas have approximately one taxable income among 50 citizens. In New Jersey, on the other hand, one persons in 12 possesses a taxable income, and the average of Massachusetts is almost as high."

"In actual cash, New York is credited in the tax returns of last June with a contribution of \$435,377,373 to the national income; Pennsylvania, \$181,429,263; Illinois, \$163,624,962; Massachusetts, \$112,112,785; Michigan, \$88,673,931; and Ohio, \$88,030,595. South Dakota contributed \$1,182,439."

It is stated this is the most successful unofficial poll ever conducted from the standpoint of returns. Over twice as many ballots were registered in this straw vote than in any previous one in America. Of the 15,000,000 ballots which were distributed, 14.2 per cent were returned. The average on polls of this kind is said to be 10 per cent.

## ACQUITTED

A wave of jubilation swept all Germany when General Ludendorff who, with Adolf Hitler, last year attempted a "putsch," or revolution, calculated to restore German monarchists to power, was acquitted of treason.

Press reports say the trial was a farce, and while Hitler was given five years, all hands seem to agree he will be released in less than six months.

Potently guilty because caught red-handed, the two men have never been considered in Germany as other than national heroes. Ludendorff correctly gauged the situation when, in a grandiloquent speech during his trial, he lauded himself as "the victor of Tannenberg," and warned his judges that they, not he, "stood before the bar of history." And "history," he reminded them, "does not send men who fought for the fatherland to a fortress, but to Valhalla!"

Striking a theatrical attitude, he boldly told the judges after the verdict that he considered the whole proceeding, arrest, trial and acquittal, "an affront to this uniform and the insignia of honor upon it."

Whoever thinks Germany learned a lesson in the last war, would do well to study the Ludendorff trial at Munich, the atmosphere surrounding it and the feeling it aroused all over the land.

The German army was not beaten in the war, Ludendorff and his followers continue religiously to believe, but, as the general exclaimed at his trial, that "it was crowned with everlasting fame."

"Something slipped"—that's why Germany didn't win. And uprightness in heart and soul and mind of virtually every German today is the yearning for a new "Der Tag" when that "slip" can be remedied.

## Quillen's Paragraphs

By ROBERT QUILLEN

The usual tax rate is about five times to the return.

Table: Once there was a man whose life was an open book.

It is all right to follow your natural bent unless it makes you crooked.

At 13 he learns to know Life. With a capital L; at 80 he wishes he could forget.

The poor have one advantage. Jitters are easier to dodge than subpoena servers.

When a woman plans a party, the fun consists in making a list of those she won't invite.

An ordinary draft gives you a cold, but an overdraft doesn't seem to affect anything except the feet.

A sophisticated girl is one who has practiced for years to attain her charming naturalness.

If you think clothes don't make the man, try to imagine a cop being impressive in pajamas.

A genius is a man who can write a successful play without being either naughty or nasty.

It is estimated that 86 per cent of life's annoyances are provided by people who mean well.

After all, things balance nicely. A woman is slow to forgive others, but she forgives herself quickly.

A normal man is one who feels devilish and adventuresome the first time he gets a manicure.

And yet it is only making a fool of yourself that you learn to make a man of a fool.

The worst enemy of all reformation is the man who insists it is wicked to have a good time.

Modern liquor may inspire a man to beat his wife, but fortunately it disqualifies him for the job.

Bobbed hair may justify itself in the saving of time, but you can't make a bald man believe it.

Doubtless he is a genuine class A doctor if he assures you that you sent for him just in time.

Science can explain everything except how a man with a paunch manages to get by without suspenders.

Both the man and his wife may desire divorce, but the court must decide which shall retain custody of the mad jagged set.

The red man lost the country because he couldn't exploit it; exploiting it too much may deliver it to another set of Reds.

Correct this sentence: "I figure fuel consumption carefully," boasted he, "and I never have to buy an extra ton in the spring."

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"How Far Did You Say It Was, John?"



## THE FUN SHOP

By MAXSON FOXHALL JUDELL

### THE MEN'S LULLABY

By George S. Chappell

Hush-a-bye Egglest, slumber and rest. Close to my heart, dear, snug in my nest.

What will you be dear? What is your sex?

Ah, there's the question a mother to vex.

Are you a boy, dear? Are you a girl? Are you a door-knob? My brain is in a whirl!

Good egg or bad egg, whichever it be, Always you'll be loved, darling, by me.

Hush-a-bye, Egglest, slumber and rest. Close to my heart, dear, snug in my nest.

### FAMOUS STARS

\* Boarder.

\* Twinkle, twinkle, little \*.

\* \* \* and Garter.

\* Dishes marked with a \* are ready.

\* \* \* Hennessy.

A. C. M. Azoy, Jr.



### THE TORTOISE AND THE HAIR

A wall flower would not object to being pressed.

### THE ABSENT PRESENT

Marjorie came home, crying as if her heart would break. Her mother, reports Mrs. Arthur Messing, seriously inquired as to the cause of Marjorie's sorrow.

"Teacher promised me a present but she didn't give me any," sobbed Marjorie.

"Teacher promised you a present?" said mother. "That's funny. First time I ever heard of such a thing. How did she happen to promise you a present?"

"Well," replied Marjorie, "teacher was giving out seats and she called me and said: 'Miss Marjorie, you sit here for the present!'"

### MAN PROPOSES—

Mac: "Is he a man after your own heart?"

Ruth: "I am not sure, but I am living in hopes."

—Stanley B.

### THE SEVENTH HEAVEN?

By Hugh Wiley

His Eliza had a husband what acted like a lamb,

Handed her his wages ev'ry pay-day night,

Kept a workin' steady 'till his job went—BAM!

Eliza's husband's job was haulin' nervous dynamite.

De dynamite was early, Eliza's man was late.

Now he's Heaven-bound in pieces on de angel's freight.

Sky-bound—fo' his home on high, Sky-bound—wid a fly in each han', Sky-bound—jes' beginnin' to fly, Sky-bound—grazin' de promiss' land.

Love is blind, they tell us, which

is the reason why lovers get along so well in the dark.

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### Doctor Crane's Editorial

BY DR. FRANK CRANE

A sucker list is a list of those persons who are supposed to be easily swindled. The swindling business is about as well established as those forms of business which are legitimate.

The picturesque and accurate slang term for the man who can be swindled without much trouble is "Sucker List." The sucker list is by no means confined to farmers with long whiter-carpetbags; it includes college professors, prominent business men, teachers, bankers, society leaders and, more especially, ministers of the gospel.

These lists are carefully prepared by experts and sold at a price to any one who is desirous of entering the grand occupation of selling something for nothing.

Selling to suckers is very largely a mail order business. The swift, sure and extensive service of Uncle Sam's mail trains, letter carriers and post offices is not neglected by the business artist.

What makes a sucker?

A sucker is a person who tries to get something for nothing. That's all. If anyone, throughout his life, sticks to the principle that he will not take any money, for which he has not given a fair equivalent, the chance is very remote that he will ever be a sucker.

As a rule the people who bite at stock swindling schemes share something of the crime of those who dangle the bait. The swindler knows that in many people there lurks the idea that big money comes by luck or some sort of gambling deal. It is to those who entertain this idea that he appeals.

The highway to competence, if not to great wealth, is that of thrift and diligence.

This main travelled road is often long and hot and dusty. Thousands of weak mortals are lured into the byways where the swindlers see to it that the birds sing, the brooks babble and the mountains of gold beckon on the horizon.

Down these alluring paths they stray until the ring-tailed villain known as the fool-biller gets them. And before long their houses may be gathered up in neat little piles along the way.

There is but one safe way to get money, and that is by using your brain and brawn. It is by making hard work a habit.

And there is but one way to keep money, and that is by investing it. And investing requires even more shrewdness than earning it.

It is necessary sometimes to take risks, for without risk there would be no conspicuous success.

But the legitimate risk is in an enterprise that depends upon your own skill, upon something that you can understand and attend to. The super dangerous risk is where you are playing another man's game.

If you are receiving a lot of letters and circulars from all sorts of promoters it is well to ask yourself whether the experts have not got you on the sucker list.

## Your Money AT WORK

Brief but important lessons in finance, markets, stocks, bonds and investments

IN 11.92 YEARS AT 6% COMPOUNDED

WHY PLAY WITH WILDCAT INVESTMENTS?

Double your money with safety!

There is no need to be tempted by skillfully worded advertisements that suggest quick and unusual profits.

By investing money in safe and sure bonds and mortgages and faithfully re-investing all interest as soon as it is paid, money will double in ten to twelve years.

At six per cent (the normal rate of interest) money doubles in about twelve years. At seven per cent (a yield which may often be obtained on excellent security) money doubles in just a little over ten years.

The average investor does not realize the astonishing rapidity with which compound interest counts up. The first five years it seems to amount to very little, but after five years, it piles up amazingly.

A relatively small sum invested and the interest compounded will produce a modest fortune in twenty years.

More than half of accidental deaths in and around mines are due to falls off roofs and coal.

**KILLED**  
Nearly 2500 American coal miners were killed in 1923, final check-up shows. This means that one miner was killed for life every 237,000 tons of coal brought to the surface.

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**JEST**  
The announcer at KDKA said Adam was the first radio fan, since he made a loud speaker out of his rib. Critics are panning him now, claiming it's an old joke. What if it is? Old familiar faces look best. And the best survivors, especially true of jokes. Furthermore, as in burlesque, a new generation is constantly growing up that has never heard the old stuff. Why are so many people bitter against old and established things? Is it vanity, this worshipping of the new?

**BORER**  
The corn crop now is imperiled by the "borer" insect, just as cotton by the boll weevil.

The corn borer came from Europe. It was discovered first in our country in 1917 among broom corn of eastern Massachusetts. Attempts to "quarantine" it are failing. The borer is moving westward into the corn belt at the rate of 100 miles a year. It is said to be the most difficult of plant life pests to combat.

## MISS ALIAS

By DOUGLAS GRANT

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**  
Sallie Peck, employee of the Fair Deal Five, "T" apartment with policeman sweetheart, Michael Curtis. A night, Sallie goes into the yard to take down a washing line.

Brennan, with whom Sallie lives. A cork shanks the earth and something strikes Sallie a blow on the head. When she regains consciousness, the girl finds herself in strange surroundings. A French maid calls her Alva Copeland and Madame Copeland a tall, richly dressed woman, claims for as her stepdaughter. Sallie meets Cousin Wheeler, who makes love to her. She resolves to solve the mystery why she is being substituted for Alva Copeland.

Sallie tells the Copelands she is wise to their game and that if they pay her enough, she will play a hand for them. The Copelands accept Sallie's offer.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
"I believe you," Sallie exclaimed. "One's about as phony as the other, eh? Did you think you were going to put that fake over on me?"

"My dear girl," Sallie assumed a shocked expression. "That diamond is worth thousands—but how could you be expected to judge?"

"That paste rock isn't worth a tenth of what the setting cost," she retorted, sure of her ground now. "Never mind how I know, but you come across with the real good, understand?"

Sallie had purposely allowed a rough, hardened note to creep into her voice and Sallie sighed and shook his head as he slipped the box back into his pocket.

"You misjudge me! There is a lady coming here today, however, who until recently owned some magnificent jewels herself and Mrs. Delapierre will tell you what this is worth."

"Mrs.—who?" It was the chance for which she had waited and Sallie rose precipitately. "Look here, I'm not going to see her! It was in the agreement that I didn't have to meet anybody!"

"Anybody not necessary to our plans, my dear Alva!" Sallie's little mustache was fairly twitching with suppressed excitement. "However, Mrs. Delapierre—"

"Not me! Mrs. Cope—mother—said I didn't have to meet any of the dancin' crowd here to call and I won't! That's flat!"

Sallie turned as if to rush from the room but she was caught by the wrist.

The idea of palming yourself off on my grandmother doesn't face you—why are you afraid to come face to face with Mrs. Delapierre. Is it because you're not before?"

Sallie started when she was announced the other day, you know false diamonds from real ones at a glance—did you learn that behind the counter of a five-and-ten cent store? Woman, you are 'Diamond Bess' Hilder!"

Sallie's voice squeaked and a flush darkened his pale cheeks. Sallie felt a hysterical impulse to laugh but instead she stammered guiltily in his grasp for a moment and then relaxed with a shrug.

"Did I ever say who I was?" she demanded. "You don't dare face that Delapierre woman with me, or the little game you've all been trying to pull here will be up, and you don't dare call for the bulls for the same reason—my mother picked me out of the train and remember—much obliged, I'm sure!"

"Believe me," Sallie called loudly. "Believe me, did you hear? She admitted it!"

The door leading from a smaller reception room opened and the attorney appeared. His hawk-like face was set in lines of almost ferocious intensity and his heart quailed at the look he bent upon her but his tone was as dry as a bone.

"So it appears," he remarked. "Let her go, Sallie, and lock the door. Now, young woman, suppose we come to an understanding?"

"I thought we had yesterday!" Sallie retorted with a bitterness she was far from feeling. "What have I done in all this anyway? I should like to know? I got hit on the head in a train smash-up and wake up to find myself kidnapped and brought here, with everybody in a game to call me 'Alva Copeland' and make out I'm crazy if I don't agree to it. Meanwhile I get news of another kind—my father goes for a day and then I get Mrs. Copeland to wise me up to the last. She tells me I'm this bit Sarah Peck from Shaftstown that you know all about me, and I worked in a store there. All right, I'm agreeable, and I want to see what new moniker is going to be pinned on me. Then you explain the little trick you want me to turn here for you and I take it on. So I'm 'Alva Copeland' now. Mrs. Peck tries to palm off a phony rock on me and when I call him for it he says I'm 'Diamond Bess' somebody-or-other."

"Do you admit or deny that you are the Hilder woman?" Bellos thundered in his best courtroom style.

"I don't admit or deny anything! I ain't on the stand, yet, but when I am—if I am—let's make it interesting for all concerned," Sallie retorted. "I told you I wasn't any squatter but if you try to send me up for something else there's a few of you who'll do stretches for what you mouthpieces call it?—attempted conspiracy with intent to defraud, ain't it?"

She had remembered a case in Shaftstown which Mike had explained to her and now she plucked up courage as she saw that the shot went home.

"The attorney's lips were twisted in an unpleasant smile and his cold, penetrating gaze never left her eyes. "Would you be willing to face the lady Mr. Sallie mentioned, Mrs. Louis Delapierre?"

"Would you be willing to face me with her and tell her how I got here and what I'm doing in this house?" Sallie countered swiftly, advancing toward her inquisitor. "It's a stand off, ain't it, Mr. Bellos? A case where we've gotta trust each other, like you said yesterday? What's the odds who I am? I'll lay low and work the game on the old dance upstairs and

then beat it where you'll never—"

Sallie uttered a horrified ejaculation but Bellos held up a silencing hand.

"What you propose is impossible," he declared. "You said a moment ago that when you woke up here and were called 'Alva Copeland' you permitted the mistake, to go on because in the meantime you had news of another sort. What did you mean?"

"Say, if I should happen to be this Hilder woman and there was a big reward out for me, like Mr. Sallie let on, do you s'pose I'd be travelling around the country without a pal or two?"

"Sallie grinned. "If you say that 'Alva Copeland' proposition is off, well, and good. I don't hold any grudge for being kidnapped the way I was; you just help me to make my getaway and I'll forget I was ever here so long as you all forget you ever saw me."

Sallie started forward but the attorney's manner changed suddenly. "That is a solution which has already occurred to me for as you say the door is closed, let me tell you, just a little too confidential and his desire to rid himself of her presence without discussing her suggested getaway was significant."

Once alone in her room a fresh horror gripped her. In that conference which she had overheard Friday night between those people who held her in their hands, Dr. Qualters had declared that Sallie Peck would never come to life again and the menace, in his tone, vague and subtle as it was, had sent a chill to the girl's very soul. If the innocent, faithful girl hadn't been taken into their confidence then regarding the fraud they planned to practice on a wealthy, dying old woman could never be allowed to escape from their clutches, what chance would a notorious crook have in his own, vague and subtle of the temptation, little rolls upon a plate and picking it up. Sallie saw that a small hole had been neatly cut in its bottom and the piece replaced like a cup. Shakily she tore it out and a thin spiral of paper followed it. Unwittingly Sallie read in the same awkward, hastily scrawled penmanship as the note of the previous day.

"Game up. This grub o.k. but don't touch dinner. The plan trouble later tonight but I'll get you out before—"

Fish! Sallie had forgotten all about him in the failure of her scheme but now she thought of him with a ray of hope and gratitude. Once free from the house and she felt she might take her chances on obtaining his "aid" and somehow making her way home. The letter ended abruptly as though he had been fearful of interruption but it told her enough and she forced herself to eat heartily, mindful of the fact that none of the dinner must pass her lips and she might need all her strength later.

The long afternoon of torturing suspense passed slowly but at last dusk fell and there came with a dimmer ray.

"I have all been arranged, Miss," she remarked suddenly, pausing by the door. "There is a train at two hours after midnight and Monsieur Bellos will conduct you to it. When you have Miss, Madame Copeland has instructed me to bring you a traveling costume, very simple, which you may wear, and you are to keep her gift, the little string of pearls. Also Monsieur Bellos presents his compliments and begs that you will dine well for you have a long journey before you."

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## FIRESIDE FUN

A hostess, in an effort to be genial, aside, the comparative



# Mrs. Steck Will Head Federated Missionary Societies for New Term

MRS. W. J. STECK of the Congregational church was re-elected president of the Federated Missionary society at yesterday's all-day session of the federation at the First Christian church. Other officers elected to serve with Mrs. Steck were Mrs. W. S. Thomas of the First Baptist church, vice-president; Mrs. J. A. Ligon of the Central Baptist church, recording secretary; Mrs. A. F. Graham of the First Christian church, press correspondent; and Mrs. S. D. Wall of the First M. E. church, South, corresponding secretary.

The officers named were selected by the nominating committee, of which Mrs. S. D. Wall of the First M. E. church, South, was chairman. The roster of officers was the same as the past year with the exception of the press correspondent. Mrs. I. E. Martin of the First Christian church served in this capacity during the past year, but having already served two years she declined the office.

Despite the inclement weather yesterday, 123 were in attendance, the banner for attendance going to the First Christian church. At noon the women of the First Christian church served luncheon to the guests.

Mrs. J. H. Winton of the First M. E. church, South, had charge of the program at yesterday's session, the social service feature being discussed at length. Mrs. John R. Adams of the First M. E. church, South, conducted the devotionals on "Woman's Place in God's Service."

Mrs. M. J. Paine of St. George's Episcopal church entertained with a beautiful solo, and during the business session, in addition to the election of officers, one of the reports made showed more than \$150 had been donated to Mexican work here, and that the work being done by the federated society was indeed a great accomplishment.

Mrs. N. T. Fuller gave a short account of Miss Margaret Williamson's talk on a Y. W. C. A. at Monday's luncheon for the executive board and told of the suggestion made by Miss Williamson for a local Y. W. C. A.

Rev. Charles E. Weidner of the Congregational church made an interesting talk on "The Boy from a Social Service Standpoint." The afternoon devotional service was led by Miss Mamie Daniels of Houston, settlement worker, and at present in charge of the Co-operative Home in Houston, who also made a short address during the afternoon, telling of her work in the Co-operative Home, the conditions of the home and how it is financed. The afternoon session was concluded with two delightful readings by Miss Ruby Edmonds, expression teacher at Franklin school, who read "Minnie at the Skating Rink," and responded with an equally amusing encore.

**EASTER SALE TO BE HELD, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.**

St. George's Episcopal Guild will hold an Easter sale in front of the First National bank on Friday and Saturday, April 18 and 19, beginning at 10 o'clock. Final arrangements were made for the sale at yesterday's meeting at the guild at the home of Mrs. B. H. Davison, 5509 Procter street.

Those present yesterday were Mrs. Harding, Mrs. A. S. Howren, Mrs. Frank Y. Low, Mrs. Nora Keith, Mrs. S. I. Dunn, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Anne Sherman, Mrs. T. T. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Thomas F. Brooks, Mrs. G. H. Eubank and Mrs. B. H. Davison.

On next week the guild will meet with Mrs. Frank Smith at her home on Fifty street.

**MISS JOHNSON ARE VISITING IN BEAUMONT.**

The Misses Ruth and Ethel Johnson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson of Griffling, are spending the weekend in Beaumont with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Clawson.

**MINNEHABA CAMP TO MEET TOMORROW.**

The Minnehaba Campfire will hold a ceremonial meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock with the guardian, Mrs. Emmett Welch, at her home, 1708 Eighth street. All campfire girls are requested by the guardian to attend the ceremonial meeting.

**PRISCILLA SEWING CLUB ENTERTAINED.**

Mrs. E. L. Maley entertained the Priscilla Sewing club Wednesday afternoon at her home, 2530 Eleventh street. During the afternoon the women sewed and the hostesses served

**Nadine Face Powder**  
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# Ladies' Aid Will Seek to Attain New Goal by July

Members of the Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian church in regular session yesterday afternoon at the Annex voted to divide the Aid into circles and captains were appointed for the respective divisions. Mrs. W. B. Johnson was appointed captain of Circle One, Mrs. T. A. Davis captain of Circle Two, and Mrs. G. C. Wall captain of Circle Three. Each circle was apportioned a goal which must be reached by the first of July.

The captain of each circle will inform the respective members of the time and place of the next meeting, which will be held next Thursday. The members voted to hold a General Aid meeting the last Thursday in each month.

At the close of the business session yesterday, the hostesses, Mrs. M. E. Crawford and Mrs. Walter Tate, served delicious refreshments to the guests.

# STATES SERVICE PLAN OF CULP

People From All Parts Of Country to Attend

Plans for having representatives from every state in the union at Sunday night services in the First Baptist church next Sunday are underway and a special patriotic service will be held. Rev. C. W. Culp, pastor, said today.

The four states having the largest delegations attending the service Sunday night will be given special services when their representatives will have charge of all the features of these services, including the musical program, Rev. Culp said.

Messengers from the governors of the four states having the largest delegations at the services next Sunday night also will be secured and will be read in the services to be arranged by these state delegations during the next few Sunday nights, Rev. Culp said.

Decorations carrying out the patriotic spirit of the services planned for next Sunday evening will be in the church, and from the reports received at the church, indications are that natives of every state from Maine to California will be present, Rev. Culp said.

# Local Lumbermen Visited Old Mexico

J. W. Richards, H. C. Crawford and Davis Dutton, Port Arthur lumbermen, attending the state lumbermen's convention at El Paso, were among the delegates entertained by the citizens of Den Rio when the "Lumbermen's Special" stopped at that point for a tour of the town and surrounding territory, including Villa Ahuna, Mexico, according to word received in Port Arthur today.

# KISSES GET HIS GOAT

LONDON, April 11.—Discovering two lovers on his doorstep "kissing and cuddling in the usual way," Frederick Clark hit the young man in the eye. As a sequel, he had to pay a fine of 10 shillings. Colonel Willis, the magistrate, told Clark: "You said they were kissing and cuddling in the usual way. That being so, you should have had a little sympathy. Think of the time when you were young."

# CAPITAL LIKES JAZZ

WASHINGTON, April 11.—As the result of a careful inquiry and summary of requests received, the District of Columbia radio broadcasting stations state that more than 30 percent of listeners in want and ask for jazz music. The class next in demand is "standard" music.

About 50,000,000 persons are gainfully employed in the United States.

# MOVIE FOLK LIKE WANDERING LAMBS



**HOLLYWOOD, April 11.**—"Movie picture people," agreed three reputable press agents, who have publicized and managed a score of these celebrities, "when left to themselves are the most helpless lot in the world."

"Never on time for an engagement," said one.

"Get lost and wander around like babes in the woods," said another.

"Hardly know enough to come in out of the rain, unless they get a cue," added the third.

"That's the cue," they coincided on an explanation. "At work almost every move they make is dictated, prompted, specified by the director. That dull initiative, self-reliance, resourcefulness. Off the lot, with no shepherd to guide 'em, they are wandering lambs."

Ruth Roland was admirably cited as an exception.

"Yes, she's prompt, to the minute. Doesn't have to be reminded half a dozen times of an engagement. But she's a business woman, a business woman even more than the actress. Been taught to think for herself, to appreciate the value of time, to keep from rapping others' nerves. The press agent's delight, Ruth!"

But how the ears of many others must have smarted at this razzing! Most of them are ladies. Their names I withhold. I am, sometimes, a gentleman. But let them not have after trifles too much with my reportorial time. I can be gentle to almost any crime.

And speaking of press agents, a necessary evil to the movie industry—some of them have a sense of humor. Witness the transcript of Mike Boylan's one-minute interview with his office boy, Mike, is the high power publicist for First National pictures.

"Henry," queried Mike, "who is your favorite star?"

"Ben Turpin."

"But Henry, Mr. Turpin doesn't work for First National, and we do!"

"Listen, do you want me to 'yes' or tell the truth?"

"You may tell the truth, just for novelty."

"Well, Turpin is my favorite, and I won't say anything else."

"Henry, you stupid little wretch, didn't Colleen Moore give you a beautiful tie for Christmas, and didn't Sylvia Breamer send you to the ball park in her car? Where are your manners?"

"Henry, I have a bright, shiny dollar in my pocket. I will give it to you if you will tell me truly the name of your favorite star."

"Ben Turpin."

# OFFICIAL COUNT MUST BE HELD

McCormick-Deneen Senate Race Close

CHICAGO, April 11.—An official canvass of the vote cast in the Illinois primary for Senator McCormick and former Governor Charles Deneen will be necessary to decide the winner of the republican senatorial nomination, it was declared today by supporters of both candidates.

# How They Stand

With 32 precincts missing, Deneen is leading McCormick by 3,450 votes. The count stood: Deneen, 233,742; McCormick, 230,292.

McCormick supporters have little hope of overcoming the lead on the strength of the unofficial count and plan to petition for an official canvass when the balance of the precincts are in. McCormick and Deneen have hired lawyers to represent them before the state canvassing board.

# Charge Tampering

Charges were made by Deneen headquarters that attempts would be made to tamper with the returns. Deneen who refused to give details except to say that word had reached him of such a plot, warned his supporters to be on guard.

Deneen's managers claim he will show a majority of 50,000 or more when the count is completed.

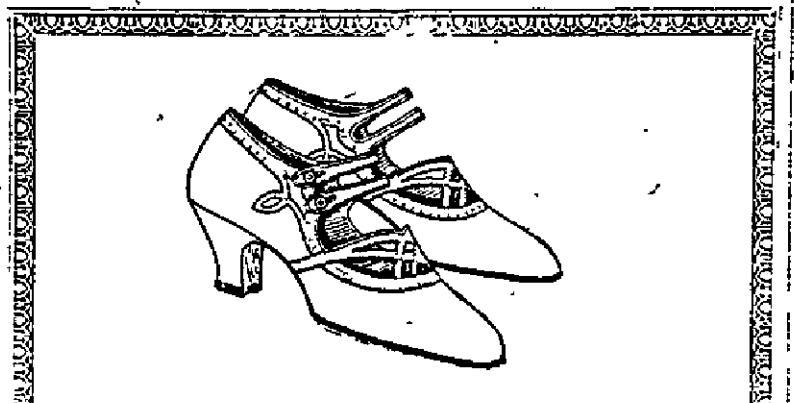
McCormick's managers claim their man will show a majority of between 10,000 and 15,000 when the official canvass is made. They claimed to have uncovered several errors, favoring Deneen, and profess to feel confident that enough other "errors" will be found to give McCormick the victory.

# 600 Sought Her!



Petronella Margolis, 19-year-old salesgirl in a Grand Rapids (Mich.) department store, has received 600 marriage proposals in the last few weeks. And a little ad, setting forth her matrimonial qualifications, is to blame. She had to insert it because she lost a bet in a mah jong game. But Petronella now wants the world to know her mail order business is closed for good. She's well satisfied with her present "sweetie," she insists.

A morning rainbow is regarded as a sign of rain; an evening rainbow, of fair weather.



**No Doubt You've Thought of Your Shoes**

Just one week from today—the grand rush for Easter apparel will be on—why don't you come to Hodges tomorrow, and take your time to do your shopping—more especially with an item as important as your shoes. Above we show one of the prettiest models that the new season has brought forth.

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# The Tangle

NIGHT LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT

Sally Atherton's husband very ill. Hold out no hope of his recovery. She has gone to him. Glad to know that Syd is better. Both Little Jack and myself miss you unspeakably. Letter follows.

Lovingly, LESLIE.

Telegram From John Alden Prescott to Sally Atherton.

Just heard your husband very ill. Is there anything I can do?

JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT.

Telegram From Sally Atherton to John Alden Prescott.

Sam died last night. Nothing you can do although I am grateful for your offer. Funeral day after tomorrow. I will be back at the office the day after. SALLY ATHERTON.

Telegram From John Alden Prescott to Smith & Smith, Florists.

Send to Mrs. Sally Atherton, 722 Foxhall Place, Pittsburg, five dozen American Beauty roses, my card.

JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT.

Letter From Leslie Prescott to John Alden Prescott.

I am so glad to know, dearest, that Syd is getting better. I was absolutely delighted with the dear little coal god that he sent to me through you. It was awfully sweet of him. I shall keep it among my most treasured possessions.

I took it down yesterday to Crother's to have it attached to that attendant circumstances will show that his action was in itself innocent.

# Criticize Charges

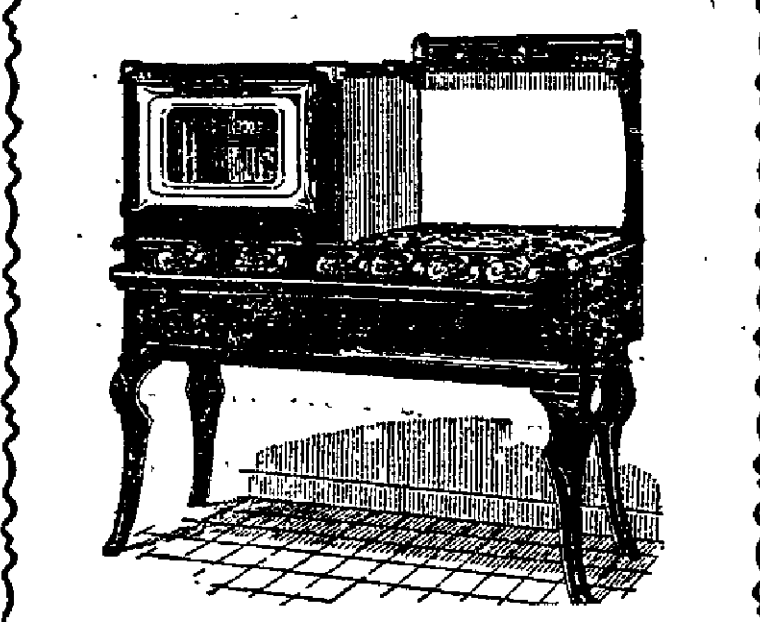
Many senators have criticized as ill-considered and hasty the cry of "frame up" which was raised by some of Wheeler's close friends before they had the facts in the case. Testimony yesterday before the Brookhart committee investigating Harry M. Daugherty showing that the republican national committee has an agent in Great Falls and that three department of justice agents were sent there on the Wheeler case has nothing to do with the facts about Wheeler's guilt or innocence, senators pointed out.

# MRS. REID HUNTS FOR CRIPPLED BIRD

Somewhere in Port Arthur a woman has a crippled red bird and Mrs. Bruce Reid, of Refinery Park, wants to know who she is and where she lives.

A telephone call to Mrs. Reid Thursday afternoon about the crippled bird was misunderstood, and the name and address of the caller lost, Mrs. Reid said today.

In 1922, two and a half million automobiles were manufactured in the United States.



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platinum wire bracelet that Alice sent to me from England some time ago. As I showed the little idol to the salesman a stranger who was standing by—a very distinguished man about sixty—exclaimed in surprise and admiration:

"Tardon me, madam, I have spent all my life in the study of Chinese art and Chinese traditions. I wonder if you know that this bit of coral is absolutely priceless. It is one of the two gods that are worshipped by lovers, one of the twin gods that every lover hopes to present to his sweetheart while he retains the other. It is very old. No one knows the artist who carved it, as it came from before the Ming dynasty. Have you or your lover the other one?"

I explained to him that I was quite sure my husband did not have the other one; in fact, until this moment I did not know there was another one.

The man's face fell. He looked positively dejected.

"It would have been better had you never found it," he said. "One of these little gods spells unhappiness—at least love unrequited. Both of them, one carried by the man who is you and one carried by yourself, would make perfect happiness for you both."

Little Jack is calling. Will finish this letter later.

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**TOMORROW:** More of the letter from Leslie Prescott to John Alden Prescott.

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# Port Arthur Churches Prepare for Observance of Passion Week Beginning Sunday

## METHODISTS IN SPECIAL PLANS

### Life of Christ Will Be Traced By Pastor

Next week, which is Passion Week, will be observed by the First Methodist Episcopal church in a fitting manner. More and more are the churches beginning to draw the attention of all people to the meaning of the last week of the Master on earth. Rev. C. W. Rodgers, pastor, said today.

Services will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights at 7:30 o'clock. On these evenings the life of Christ will be traced through that eventful week. On Thursday night the Epworth Leagues are requested to attend with their friends and on Friday night special services will be held for the Sunday school and their friends.

Let us try and get nearer to the inner meaning of Christ's suffering and sacrifice," said Rev. Rodgers. "and I am sure we will be able to in these services."

## Latest News From Louisiana Towns

**ST. MARTINVILLE, La.**—The criminal term of court is in session here with Judge Simon presiding. A new grand jury was drawn for the next six months, as members are: C. J. Levert, foreman; A. Polynard, L. T. Bonvion, A. G. Olivier, G. L. Rousseau, Martin Dauterrell, Charles Marcet, Arnie Angelle, Daniel Zengue, Louis Oubre, Leo Dario and Luc Bonin.

**CROWLEY, La.**—Officers elected in the municipal primaries here are: P. S. Dugh, Jr., mayor; Boyd C. Melton, chief of police; alternates, first ward, E. L. Savoy and A. S. Wright; second ward, R. A. Nocton and J. P. Whitoff; fourth ward, E. L. Vines and O. T. McBride, who had no opposition.

**CROWLEY, La.**—C. D. DeBelle, district deputy, installed officers in the Elks lodge here. The officers are: F. L. Landry, exalted ruler; B. J. Shonne, leading knight; W. L. Lyons, loyal knight; Phil Goldstein, lecturer; J. P. Gaudin, secretary; C. D. Andue, treasurer; D. T. Canan, C. D. Andue, reporter; J. P. Gaudin, Sr., Tyler; Joe Hanley, representative.

**NEW ORLEANS, La.**—Declaring in a note left in his room: "I lost heavily last night. Have taken the shortest route, may God have mercy on my soul," James W. Collins, 31, disappeared from 1214 St. Charles street, A. C. Thompson, foreman of the Western Union Telegraph company, said Collins came to New Orleans about two months ago from Dallas.

**SHREVEPORT, La.**—A burning cigarette in the hand of T. H. Taylor, travelling salesman, who went to sleep lying across his bed in a local hotel, set fire to the covers and caused a damage estimated at \$250, fire department officials said.

**MINDEN, La.**—Over 100 high school students here, both boys and girls, walked out of school here and refuse to return following the dismissal of L. H. Denman as principal by the Webster parish school board, 87 E. Emmons, assistant parish superintendent, was appointed to succeed Denman. The ousted principal said he will appeal his case to the state board of education. The allegation filed against him by the board was that of undermining a school teacher.

**CROWLEY, La.**—A meeting of members of the American Legion and their women's auxiliary, at hotel Thursday night, a Company B. transfer over Culpepper's jewelry store when Mrs. Stephen E. Smith, department president of the Women's Auxiliary, American Legion, spoke in the interest of the organization.

**CROWLEY, La.**—At the meeting of the Crowley fire department held here this week for the election of officers, Chief J. W. Miles was re-elected, and all other old officers, with the exception of two, were returned. One of the former officers has moved to New Jersey and R. I. Koller was elected to fill the vacancy as vice president of the fire department. Other officers are: A. S. Wright, president; R. I. Koller and Sam Kershaw, vice presidents; Frank Schenkel, secretary-treasurer; O. T. McBride and J. J. Moss, first and assistant chiefs; and Harry Bessoff, captain. Plans for installation at a social meeting will be made.

**CROWLEY, La.**—A salary of school teachers, school trustees, drivers and janitors will be set at 10 per cent for the 1936-37 season as a result of a resolution passed by the school board in order to bring the highest within the expected range.

**CROWLEY, La.**—The Methodist district conference of the late Charles district will meet at Leesville April 15, and representatives from the Crowley church will be: J. T. I. A. S. Wright, C. C. Norwalk, W. H. Moore, Mrs. J. W. Embrey, Mrs. Matt. Bruner and J. W. Embrey. This district is composed of Calcasieu, Acadia, Jeff Davis, Beauregard, Vernon, Iberia, Vermilion, Allen and Cameron parishes. About 150 delegates are expected to attend the district conference.

**EUNICE, La.**—A good attendance and much interest marked the presentation of an extensive program here for the benefit of the new school house. The program was put on by the Mamou high school literary club.

## OUT OUR WAY



## PASSION WEEK TO BE OBSERVED

### Congregationalists Have Special Services

Appropriate services will be held at the Congregational service during Passion Week. Tomorrow the services will deal with Palm Sunday. At the morning service Rev. C. E. Weidner will speak on "Singing Stones," in which he will bring out the thought of Palm Sunday. In the evening he will speak on "A Life Recipe," or "The Road to Happiness."

Services during the remainder of the week will start on Wednesday night and will be as follows:

April 16: "The Word Became Flesh."

April 17: "The Way of Life."

April 18: "Three Conditions of Discipleship."

## NACOGDOCHES CLOSING FOR GIRL'S FUNERAL

NACOGDOCHES, Texas, April 11.—Funeral services were held here for Miss Janie Wilson, whose body was found Monday in a bayou near Sugarland. All banks and business houses were closed during the hour.

## TEXAS BOY KILLED BY FREIGHT TRAIN

GRANDVIEW, April 11.—Aaron Hill, 19, died today for injuries received when he attempted to alight from a moving freight train.

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## Prettiest Baby In Port Arthur Will Be Exhibited on Sunday

Babies: Bring your babies to the First Christian church Sunday night. So says Rev. R. R. Yelderman in announcing his sermon for Sunday night, "What Shall This Child Be?" At this service Rev. Yelderman said the prettiest baby in Port Arthur will be exhibited, and has invited all mothers having babies three years of age and under to attend.

"And if you haven't a child, borrow your neighbors," he said. "I expect a great number of mothers to attend with their babies Sunday night, and I'm going to find the prettiest baby in all Port Arthur."

## COLLINS CRITICIZES OFFICERS OF KLAN

DALLAS, April 11.—Admitting that he was a charter member of the Dallas chapter of the Dallas Ku Klux Klan, Senator V. A. Collins criticized the hooded order's officers in a political speech here. "The rank and file of the Klan are all right," he added. Collins is running for governor.

## SIX FIREMEN HURT IN HOUSTON FIRE

HOUSTON, April 11.—Investigation of the cause of the fire which swept the Kent II. Easter warehouse, causing injury to six firemen and an estimated damage of \$500,000, was being made today by city officials. The blaze was extinguished after seven hours of fire fighting.

## IMPERILED

A crop worth over two billion dollars a year is imperiled by the "borer" insect now advancing westward into the corn belt. If a foreign nation started fighting us to make us pay that much indemnity a year, every one would rally against it.

Why do we submit tamely, almost indifferently, to insect enemies which, similar onslaughts from rival nations would start us enthusiastically on the warpath? One reason is that professional patriots, war bankers, munitions makers and propagandists can't make large and sudden fortunes rousing the mob against insects.

## BEAUMONT VISITORS COME HERE ON SUNDAY

Plans for one of the greatest Bible class celebrations this city has witnessed were made known today by members of the Men's Bible Class of the First Christian church.

Members of the class, and members of other similar organizations throughout the city will convene in Lions Park on Procter street Sunday morning, the plans announced, and will march in a long parade down Procter street. Cooperation of city officials has been assured, a club riding in a float will furnish music, while marist airs will be played by the Port Arthur band and the Port Arthur high school band. Cars to take part in the parade will be furnished by the C. E. Boaz Motor company, any other person in the city desiring to enter an automobile being urged to be present at the park by 8:45 Sunday morning.

Various civic organizations of the city, it is understood, have been invited, and have signified their willingness to co-operate in the parade, which will celebrate the visiting of the Men's Bible Class of the Beaumont Christian church in Port Arthur.

## CALDWELL VOTES FOR HIGHER SCHOOL TAX

CALDWELL, Texas, April 11.—Increased school taxes were carried in the elections held by several school districts in this section. The new tax was needed to meet requirements for state aid.

## HUMBLE WILL DRILL NEAR KINGSVILLE

KINGSVILLE, Texas, April 11.—New interest was aroused here in oil circles when it was announced that two wells would be drilled southeast of here by the Humble Oil company.

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Special sale at all Andrus-Park stores. Reducing Stock, awaiting arrival of new goods next week. Let us serve you. Phone 82. We deliver any amount.

## GROCERY DEPARTMENT

10 pounds Sugar	88c	Large bottle Tomato Catsup	19c
Large glass Rice	30c	No. 2 can Del Monte Sliced Pumpkin	25c
Hotel Peanut Butter	25c	No. 2 Tall Red Salmon	20c
16 oz glass pre-covers	25c	No. 2 Tall Pink Salmon	15c
Del Monte Sour GbGerkins	20c	No. 1 Pine	10c
No. 2 1-2 can	10c	Dark Salmon	39c
No. 1 can	60c	Shiner Roast Butter, 1 lb	41c
16 lbs Rice			

## MEAT DEPARTMENT

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Townsend's quality

15c

Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, whole or half strip, per lb 22c |

1 lb box 38c |

bacon 22c |

Pork Ham Roast, whole or half, per lb 22c |

Pork Shoulder Roast, whole or half, lb 17½c |

Chuck Roast, per lb 15c |

Hens, dressed and drawn, per lb 40c |

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# American Home on Lowest Plane of Any Institution, Speaker Says Here

## U. S. BREEDING CRIMINAL CLASS

Chautauqua Lecturer Says No Need For Degeneracy

"Out of every 100 children born on American soil today one is a degenerate. Out of every 1000 babies born in America 1.5 die before they are 15 months old."

"America is becoming the most immoral nation on earth when it comes to using drugs."

"Only one institution in all America is on a low plane—that is the home."

"Ninety per cent of the people of the United States live on a low plane."

"There is such a large number of criminals in the United States because we are breeding them."

"A child born into the world is never degenerate by chance."

"Don't know to Life"

Speaking forcibly of the law of heredity and the homes of the American people, who refuse to learn the art of living and apply it to the family, Dr. Edward Ambrose declared last night before a crowded Chautauqua audience that the American people were the smartest people on earth but they did not know how to live.

Giving the statistics concerning the birth of a degenerate in every 100 babies born in America, Dr. Ott declared that the diseases were unnecessary. "What a country could have, what cities, and what children, if we could get away from the superstition of cure and learn the art of living," he said, and then declared that "people don't want a physical cure, but a quick, who would give them medicine, or something to take home to take, and not advice."

**No Use To Be Bad**

"There is no reason for a child's being bad," asserted the speaker. "Give him the right atmosphere of a home, school, and church and he will be a good boy. It is not the teacher's fault that she cannot teach a child. Look at the material she works with."

"There is only one institution in the United States on a low plane and that is the home. Churches are not on a low plane—look at the people's homes. The people live in a low plane. Schools are not on a low plane—look at some of the children sent to these schools. It's the home—the place where these come from. Ninety per cent of the people in the United States live on a low plane. They are not reading good books, good literature, but are reading trash. How do you expect a child to learn if he doesn't have the right environment in his home? Pay more attention to the children—not to system. People have tried to institutionalize religion and education. But it can't be done."

"Of all the races in all the world there have only been 400 great geniuses. I have examined the biographies of these 400 geniuses and found that genius ran in the family."

**Breeding Criminals**

"Vice and crime as well as virtues run in the family. There is such a large number of criminals and degenerates in the United States today because we are breeding them. We have hundreds of thousands of young people in the United States who are from the root of the stock that made America what it is today in greatness, but on the other hand we pay more than one billion dollars a year for degeneracy in the United States. Lessen the crime and you'll lower your taxes."

"More than 1200 criminals have come from one family in the United States—and yet some people don't believe in heredity. I tell you there is only one way to get away with jails, penitentiaries, asylums and detention homes at all—that is to let that single class of people die out. To do away with such you must talk about it. There ought to be at least two hundred men going over the counter talking as I am tonight. Proper legislation is needed to keep a certain type of people from marrying. The dignity of marriage ought to be established. Marriage laws are too lax. A couple can go into a court house and get a license and be married five minutes after they are married. There is one divorce for every eleven weddings in the United States—that means one home in every eleven broken by divorce."

Dr. Ott concluded his address with an appeal to young men to live clean, white and like gentlemen with his wife, home and family, and if he cannot do this, to live alone and single, and die single and never curse another with his life.

"My argument is helping people who do not have a start or a chance in life, but I do not believe in running any more of them," he concluded.

## 'I Never Had a Chance' Is Only an Admission Of A Fault Within; He Says

The doctrine and philosophy of self-help was brought to the Chautauqua audience yesterday afternoon by Sam Grathwell, who scoffed at failures, that always said, "I never had a chance," and the boys of superstition, luck, and all the subtleties in which human nature is inclined to take refuge from the battle of life.

"Getting by Your Hoodoo" was the subject of his address, in which he told of some of the personal hoodoos which every man meets in life. "The old story of 'I never had a chance' is so often the fault within, when many times the fault is outside," he said. "You get out of life just what you put in, and we ourselves are largely responsible for our success or failure. What is so, so shall be reaped, and oftentimes it is only barren regrets that one reaps."

**No Excuse for Ignorance**

"There is no excuse for one's failing in life due to lack of education, for there is no excuse for young people not getting an education. If more young people used their heads more than their feet, they would get ahead more. Young people make the wrong choice so often, they choose pleasure instead of preparation. Pleasure leads to poverty. Preparation to power."

Lack of self-confidence was defined as another hoodoo by the speaker. "I don't think I can do so often heard," he said. "Assume self-confidence, for success begins with the will," he asserted.

"The hoodoo of sensitiveness, the fear of being ourselves, makes moral cowardice," according to Sam Grathwell. "Moral cowardice is afraid to make their sentiments and convictions known. A courageous man finds life worth while. Courage means unselfishness. Get by your hood of selfishness by making glad the heart of some boy or girl, and it doesn't take much to make glad the heart of men and women," he declared in conclusion. "Be good to the boy and girl, for they are the men and women of tomorrow. Don't say unkind things to them. The sting lasts."

During both the afternoon and evening lectures, the Ralston Entertainers presented a program of vocal and instrumental numbers, readings, and dances of the "Sixties." In the evening costumes of the "Sixties" were worn, and the songs and dances of old days were presented. The program included Elizabeth Ralston, pianist and vocalist; Kathryn Ralston, mezzo-soprano, pianist and reader; and Irma Talbot, pianist, violinist.

Tonight's program will be the concluding program of Chautauqua and will be Dr. Ott's closing address, "The Road to Life" with Max Valentine's original cast of 30 people and will be presented at the Elks theater on account of the wet grounds at the tent.

One of the earliest of popular novels, "Quixote," is one of the longest. It contains 481,000 words.



"ENDS THE QUEST FOR THE BEST"

## SALVATIONISTS LOCATE HERE

Will Have Independent Headquarters

Decision to establish a Salvation Army headquarters in Port Arthur independent of the Beaumont headquarters with Captain and Mrs. George Laing, formerly of Mexico, Texas, in charge, was announced here today by Captain J. H. Stiles, of Beaumont.

Although suitable quarters for the Port Arthur Salvation Army headquarters have not been secured, Captain and Mrs. Laing will start holding street meetings and will go about acquainting themselves with the local situation in preparation to formally establish their work here, Captain Laing said.

The juice of the ink plant of New Granada can be used as ink without any preparation.

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**MILK MACARONI** Quaker Brand per package **5¢**

**POTTED MEATS** Cardinal Brand 6 cans for **24¢**

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**At Meat Market**

Pork Roast per pound **18¢**  
Beef Roast per pound **15¢**  
Pan Sausage per pound **15¢**  
Dressed Poultry.

**Fruit and Vegetable Dept.**

California Red Ball Seedless Oranges, per doz **18¢**  
Red Ball Lemons, per dozen **12¢**

**Piggly-Wiggly** 307 Procter Street

## HOW THEY MAKE MAPLE SUGAR

Pails Hang on Trees in The North Woods

By MARY J. BARBER

Have you ever visited a sugar camp? On a moonlight night in the spring there is no more wonderful sight than the grove with the shining pails hanging from each tree, the bright fires glowing and the men going and coming with fresh supplies of this sweet water from the maple trees.

In the farm house nearby the lights are gleaming, and appetizing odors come from the kitchen. On the stove are kettles of maple syrup boiling for sugaring off. The waffle iron is heating and the chicken is stewing in its gravy.

In the city we regale ourselves with the memories of the crisp, frosty spring nights and the fun of a sugar-

ing-off party at the camp. Our thoughts cause us to write for a gallon or more of maple syrup, and several pounds of maple sugar. Then we do our best with city conditions to reproduce some of the delicious maple recipes.

Have you ever made maple sugar sandwiches? This is a Vermont specialty. Spread the bread with butter, then with soft or shaved maple sugar. Sprinkle with buttered meats or with crumbled bread. This makes a delicious tea sandwich.

Shaved maple sugar may be used on cereals instead of cane sugar. Try some on your corn flakes some morning.

Griddle cakes may be spread with butter and maple sugar and arranged in piles, then cut in pre-shaped pieces. Waffles are often served with soft maple sugar instead of maple syrup.

**WAFFLES**

One and one-half cups flour, 1 teaspoon sugar, 3-4 teaspoon soda, 1 egg well beaten, 1-2 cup sour milk, 4 teaspoon fat, melted.

Mix cup sifted flour, sugar and soda. Add beaten eggs and milk and

melted fat. Bake on hot waffle iron.

**BRAN WAFFLES**

One cup flour, 1 cup crumbled bran, 1 teaspoon salt, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 2 eggs, 1 cup milk, 3 tablespoons melted fat or vegetable oil.

Sift together all dry ingredients. Add bran. Beat yolks of eggs until light, add "milk." Combine with the dry ingredients. Add fat and beat until light and smooth. Just before baking fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in hot waffle iron and serve as soon as cooked. The recipe will make six waffles.

**J. C. Penny Opens His 500th Store**

PARSONS, Kan., April 11.—J. C. Penny, who 24 years ago left his home in Hamilton, Mo., broke, will open his 500th chain store in his home town next Saturday, it was announced here today. The Penny company is regarded as the largest retail chain store organization in the country.

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6 to 8 lb Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, whole, per lb **24¢**  
6 to 8 lb Block Bacon Square, whole, per lb **20¢**  
4 to 6 lb Boston Butts, a shankless ham, per lb **25¢**  
6 to 8 lb Picnic Hams, per lb **15¢**  
1 lb box sliced bacon **35¢**

**Fresh Meat Prices**

Veal shoulder roast, lb **15¢**  
Veal chuck roast, lb **12½¢**  
Veal chops, lb **15¢**  
3 lb Veal stew **25¢**  
Pork hams, whole or cut, lb **20¢**  
Pork shoulder, whole or cut, lb **16¢**  
Pure pork sausage, per lb **20¢**  
Fresh Pork Spare Ribs, per lb **15¢**

1 lb box extra fancy satin finish regular 75¢ lb candy, special **35¢**

10 lb Blue Rose Rice **70¢**  
5 lb Honduras Rice **40¢**  
No. 3 can 35¢ Delicia Tripe **25¢**  
35¢ can Delicia Roast Beef **20¢**  
5-10¢ rolled Pickled Herring **25¢**  
2 lb net whole boneless Cod Fish **35¢**  
5-oz 30¢ jar Sweet Relish **15¢**  
1 lb colored Table Oleo **35¢**  
1 lb white cooking Oleo **25¢**  
3 lb fresh Dry Prunes **25¢**  
2 lb dry green peas or yellow split peas **10¢**  
20¢ can Dry Shrimp **25¢**  
4 bars 10¢ Octagon White Floating Soap **25¢**  
4 bars 10¢ Hardwater Coco Castle Soap **25¢**

1 lb yellow full cream cheese 5¢  
2 cans Dutch Cleanser **15¢**  
1 can 15¢ Am-onia powder 10¢

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**Mrs. Mary Trower Dies Early Today**

Mrs. Mary Trower, 62, widow of the late Thomas Trower, died at 4:30 a. m. today at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Landry, 718 10th street. Mrs. Trower had been ill for many months before her death. Funeral services will be conducted in St. Mary's Catholic church at mass Saturday at 9 a. m. Rev. Father A. G. Gratten, officiating, and burial will be made in Calvary cemetery. Surviving beside the daughter, are five grandchildren, and two sisters who reside in New Orleans.

A man's brain attains its maximum weight at the age of 20; a woman's at 17.

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12 lb Tidal Wave Flour **50¢**  
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4 lb Orange Brand Lard **55¢**  
2 lb Orange Brand Lard **55¢**

1 can Tall Pink Salmon **15¢**  
1 can Campbell's Pork and Beans **10¢**  
1 can Standard No. 2 Tomatoes **10¢**  
1 can Standard No. 2 corn **10¢**  
1 1/2 gal. Ribbon Cane Syrup **50¢**

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10 lb Navy Beans **95¢**  
10 lb Baby Lima Beans **\$1.35**  
10 lb Red Kidney Beans **\$1.00**  
10 lb Pink Beans **85¢**  
10 lb Spuds **25¢**  
10 lb sack Meal **35¢**  
10 boxes Matches **50¢**  
10 boxes Salt **40¢**  
10 lb 90-100 Prunes **75¢**  
10 lb Seedless Raisins **\$1.10**  
10 lb Seeded Raisins **\$1.10**  
10 lb Dried Apples **\$1.65**  
10 lb Dried Figs **\$1.25**  
10 lb Dry Onions **35¢**  
10 lb Cabbage **35¢**

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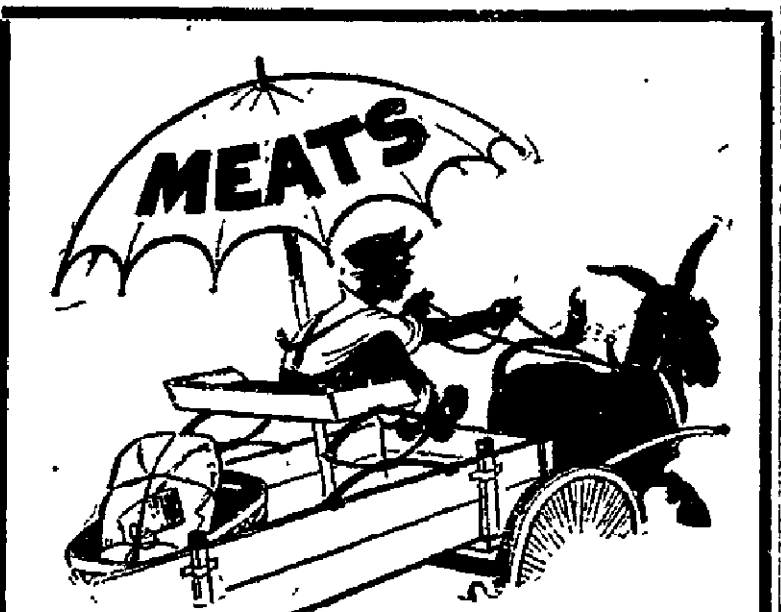
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Reaper, 5100, Texas Company.  
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Gulfling, 4008, Gulf company.  
Garonne (Fr), Gulf company.  
Gulfoil, 3202, Gulf company.

But Nature waits her guests to greet,  
Where disappointment cannot come,  
And Time guides with unerring feet  
The weary wanderers home.  
—Anne Hunter.

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The tide in the ship canal at Port Arthur, Friday at 8 a. m., according to the U. S. engineer's gauge was .7

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In keeping with its policy of providing the people of Port Arthur with more than just a newspaper, The Port Arthur News today announces its full six-page magazine section beginning Sunday, April 13, and continuing thereafter each Sunday.

The News has gone to great expense in purchasing some of the best known syndicated features obtainable, including the famous "Life of Christ," written by Papini, converted atheist and illustrated with the noted Tissot paintings; the Blue Ribbon Short Stories, supplied by the Chicago Tribune syndicate and affording stories written by the most famous authors of the day; "Tower of Fame," the short story that won the O. Henry prize for 1923; a complete page of radio news; and other features that will appear from time to time. These are added to The News Sunday feature page containing features written by The News' own staff writers on local subjects.

## The Tower of Fame

The short story that won the O. Henry memorial prize in 1923 for Elizabetheth Irons Folsom, who in a few years rose from obscurity to national prominence as a short story writer. She has written more than 90 published stories, some of them as short as 750 words. This remarkable story appears exclusively in The News Sunday magazine section Sunday.

## A Vast Paradise of Natural Resources Seeks an Outlet to the Sea Through Port Arthur

So writes Tom J. Wilhelm, The News Staff writer, who has just returned from an inspection trip with Col. R. C. Duff, of the country through which the Texas railroad promoter proposes to run his railroad. Wilhelm is going to tell Port Arthur about this paradise in Texas in a series of articles beginning Sunday in The News magazine section.

George Craig went afishing—and he caught 200 pounds in two hours. He's got the pictures to prove it and they'll be printed on The News feature page Sunday.

Other feature page articles include: Announcement of a marvelous invention by a Port Arthur man; story of what Port Arthur is doing to eliminate illiteracy; John Milton's recollection of gambling in Port Arthur, and, of course, the latest flapper news.



## THE BOY JESUS IN THE TEMPLE

# The Story of Christ

**BY GIOVANNI PAPINI**

**Illustrated From Paintings by J. J. Tissot**  
 Acclaimed by religious leaders and the literary world as the most marvelous treatment of a religious subject in modern times. Papini, the infidel, came to scoff but left to atone for his atheism by giving to the world this masterpiece concerning the Master.

## "IN THE WILDERNESS"

Is the title of the second chapter of this great work appearing in The News this Sunday. The illustration is of Christ healing the sick.

## A Great Man's Wife

**By BOOTH TARKINGTON**

Beginning the first of a series of short stories in the celebrated "Blue Ribbon" series written by the greatest authors of the present day. "A Great Man's Wife" is the story of a woman who, having built herself a paradise, wisely learned to keep her eyes upon the stars. Other Blue Ribbon fiction will follow this story and will keep up to the high standard set by this Sunday's story.

## Radio Directs Airplane Pilot Above Clouds

Aviators, without seeing land, fly to set destination guided only by small instruments. This uncanny invention is described in full on the full page of Radio in The News' Sunday magazine section this week.

Programs for the coming week of all the best known radio stations in the United States are also carried on the Rádio Page together with other news and features about wireless, including articles by Klein, expert on radio.

# Arrange Today to Get Your Copy of "The Sunday News"



# Sand Hogs Under River Keep Digging Though Death Lurks in Underground Tunnel

## 35 WORKMEN IN CLOSE CALL

### Men Work Silently Fearing Accident

NEW YORK, April 10.—Deep beneath the Hudson river the human "sand hogs" keep on digging doggedly and silently. But their silence now is ominous . . . deadly. For 35 of their number have just had a close call. Caught like rats in a trap, when the top of the tunnel blew out and the waters of the river rushed in, they escaped death only by a miracle.

But they keep on. Not next time they may not be so lucky. They all know it; yet all keep on. For it's the way of the sand hogs—the unswerving hero who makes every tunneling possible.

This time his job is to complete the vehicular tunnel linking New York and New Jersey. He has been at it for two years; and there are two more years to go before the work will be completed.

So he keeps on burrowing ahead with pick, hand and shovel, ripping, tearing, clearing the way for the engineers to follow. All his work is under compressed air, increasing as the tunnel grows deeper.

It's thud-thud—thud all day long—and all night, too, for the men on the late shifts. Everything thuds—men, machines, air.

Silence Deadly

Yet all is deadly silent. It was that way when I first went into the tunnel as a sand hog. And it is more so now.

For the compressed air pressure has been increased to 30 pounds—and the danger of getting the "bends," that dreadful disease resulting from bubbles in the blood which comes with too rapid decompression, is increased accordingly.

But now the men are fearing new bubbles—bubbles of water. For this indicates leakage in the tunnel top.

It was this indication alone that gave the men when the big blow-out came the other day. The men were working about 300 feet from the New York pierhead. They were plugging ahead under the deep channel specially dredged for the large ocean liners. A 25-foot layer of earth separated them from the water. Some of it trickled in. The pressure in the tunnel was increased. The banking of silt and clay on the river bed was not great enough to withstand the pressure.

Run for Your Lives

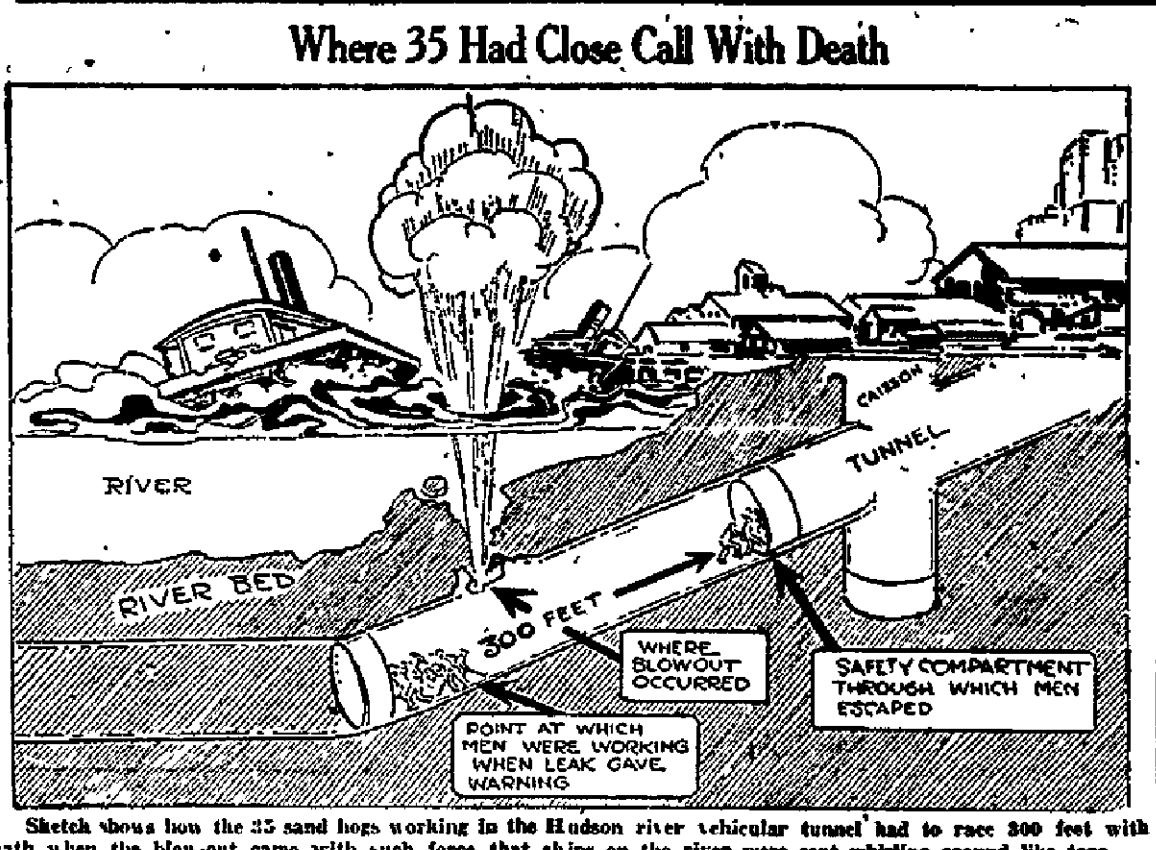
The flow increased. But the men kept on working. Suddenly the experienced eye of their foreman discerned something wrong.

"Run for your lives!" he yelled. And run they did. In a twinkling the tunnel was full of the rushing water. But the last of the men had made the safety chamber 300 feet away. Hasting, but still silent, they made up the long ladders leading to the decompressing room. There some of them keeled over, for with the rush of water, came an rush of air. And the sudden change in pressure had set them reeling.

Some had to go to a hospital. But in a few days they were ready to go back on the job.

For added silt and clay plugged up the hole, through which the blow-out had sent a geyser 50 feet high, with such force that some boys passing by were spun around like tops. The end of a barge, heavily laden with cement, was lifted out of the water with such impact that its crew were completely lifted off their feet and sent reeling.

But it was the sand hog who suffered most. . . . It was the first big



Sketch shows how the 35 sand hogs working in the Hudson river vehicular tunnel had to race 300 feet with death when the blow-out came with such force that ships on the river were sent whirling around like tops.

## G. O. P. TO TRY OUSTING BLOOM

### Would Assure Victory in Presidential Tie

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The first interparty skirmish of the presidential campaign was waged here today when the house of representatives took up the Bloom-Chandler contest.

The unseating of Bloom, the democratic incumbent from the nineteenth New York district in favor of his republican opponent, former Representative Chandler, would change the democratic majority in the New York delegation to a republican majority and give the republicans the state's vote in event the presidential election is thrown into the house.

At present the republicans have 23 state delegations and the democrats 20 with five state's tied. In event

of a presidential contest the house can only elect a president by a majority of state votes. For this reason republicans are exceptionally anxious to unseat Bloom. This would give them 24 states with the necessity of securing but one of the tied votes in order to establish a presidential majority.

Bloom's election was contested by Chandler on grounds of fraudulent ballots.

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**CHAUTAUQUA**

## Amusements

**FRIDAY**  
Chautauqua: 3:00, Circus Day for children; 5:00, DeKoven's Comic Opera, "Robin Hood".  
Peoples: "A Lady of Quality."  
Pearce: Elinor Glyn's "Three Weeks."  
Strand: "Maytime."  
Liberty: Neal Hart in "Below the Rio Grande," ep. 9 of "Way of a Man."  
Elks: Melody Mart Revue and feature picture.  
Green Tree: "Man to Man" and ep. 7 of "Way of a Man."

**SATURDAY**  
Peoples: "A Lady of Quality."  
Pearce: "Three Weeks," (famous novel by Elinor Glyn).  
Strand: Tom Mix in "North of Hudson Bay."  
Liberty: Neal Hart in "Below the Rio Grande."  
Elks: Melody Mart Revue; and excellent screen offering.  
Green Tree: "Maytime," and specialty comedy.

**CONRAD NAGEL CHANGES HIS ACTING STYLE**  
The metamorphosis of a leading man is taking place in Culver City. So this, as they say, become better films, eggs become Rhode Island Reds, and mild-sipping tiger-cubs become heart-eating Bengals.

Which is all preliminary to saying that the screen leading man, formerly associated only with gentle hero roles, is developing into a genuinely vivid in the course of only three pictures.

The basic element in this development is Conrad Nagel, and the part of Paul the English lover of "Three Weeks," which is at the Peoples theatre now, is the ingredient designed to change his cinematic amours.

Since Conrad left the New York speaking stage a few years ago and directed his attention solely to pictures, he has been associated with "holistic" roles. Flappers have cooed over him for his languorousness, his appearance of virtue, sobriety and refinement—never for his ability, as a bloomer. Matrons have sighed for a son like him, and censors' write "passed without change" after viewing his pictures.

The change began when he left the Lasky fold for the Goldwyn lot. His first part under his new contract was as the soldier-lover in Marshall Neilan's Russian story, "The Rendezvous."

Then came the first big step—his part in Victor Searles' "Name the Man." Conrad played the man who was to have been named, and his scene wherein Marie Busch, as the innocent maiden, is wronged, is said to possess all the fire of the most ardent Latin.

Then, under the direction of Alan Cranston in "Three Weeks," Conrad marcelled his blond hair, and embraced Aileen Ringe daily from nine to five, with one hour off for lunch.

There was one little adverse comment when he was chosen for the role of Paul but it is forgotten by those who see him in the film.

Mrs. Glyn herself, who was at the Goldwyn studios assisting Cranston in the filming of her novel, could not see him in the part at all, but after watching him perform for several weeks, admitted she had become reconciled to him as Paul and declared he is one of the finest actors she ever has seen.

**Ballock Due Home From Tour of States**  
In preparation for the Confederate organization's encampment in June at Memphis, Elgin Blalock, adjutant and chief of the staff of Lee Smith, will return tomorrow from a visit as a number of camps of the "Sons of Confederate Veterans."

Blalock, in his trip visited a number of camps in the central and southern parts of the state.

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Tomorrow Is the Day

Hark—The mayor has proclaimed tomorrow the day for the change, and that no man should go farther into the new season without a new straw. Felts will be as out of date as horses and buggies after tomorrow in Port Arthur.

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## HOME TO HOLD BIG CEREMONIAL

Fort Worth Event to Be Held  
Friday, April 25

PORT WORTH, Texas, April 11.—Fort Worth will represent more of the spirit, when the red for Mosiah Temple's big ceremonial, which will be held Friday, April 25.

The big street parade will be held starting from Burk Burnett park promptly at 11 o'clock, after which the Nobles will assemble at the mosque, on Lake Worth, where the ceremonial will take place.

One feature of the ceremonial will be a band concert by Mosiah Temple's famous concert band.

Mosiah Temple's special de luxe special train, will leave Fort Worth for the Imperial Council session, June 1 for Kansas City.

## Radio Corporation Answers U. S. Charge

By David Price.  
WASHINGTON, April 10.—Radio companies charged by the federal trade commission with combination and conspiracy in restraint of competition in the radio industry today filed their answers with the commission making general denial of the charges and asserting the commission has no jurisdiction in the case.

## Masked Bandits Get \$3,000 in Raid

JAY, Okla., April 10.—Two masked bandits held up a bank at Sulphur Springs, Ark., today, taking east of \$3,000 in cash, according to information received here today. The bandits fled northward in an automobile, according to Arkansas officials.

## New York Turns Down Pro Statute

ALBANY, N. Y., April 11.—New York state will not have a prohibition enforcement statute written on its books this year.  
Following a short but decisive battle in the senate early this morning, the proposed law was effectively killed when Senator Walker, majority leader, refused to grant a special rule bringing the three bills comprising the act out of the codes committee for consideration of the senate. This automatically killed the measure for this, the last, session of the year.

## 'I'm Not Worried,' Is Boast of E. L. Doheny

The last chapter of E. L. Doheny's "How I saved my millions," his own story of his life, Doheny's activities have been under the scrutiny of the public.

By E. L. DOHENY  
Oil scandal or no oil scandal, I'm not going to waste my time worrying. For I have too much to keep me happy—and I am not writing of money.

I have my wife, my son, my grandchildren—there are four of them now, and each is prettier than the other.

My boy is in business with me; and he has foresight. Three years before we got into the war, he hunched that we would be dragged into it. So he organized a battalion of California naval militia, hired a drill hall, procured the use of two navy ships for training, and was all set when the war came. The whole battalion, enlisted. My boy later worked himself up to the commission of a lieutenant, senior grade.

It's such a family that makes life worth living.

The family—and my work, without

which there could be no happiness for me. I do not believe in retiring, and I hope to die with my boots on—working.

It is the way of most real prospectors, I guess. I recall Bill Hope, an old crony, with whom I teamed up at Tanto Basin while I was prospecting alone back in '77. We went it together for two years—a long time in the wilds—part of the time we spent looking for the Adams Diggings; part of the time we prospected around the headwaters of Salt river.

There was a saying in those days that a man who was out of luck "has gone up Salt river." We went up the river—both literally and figuratively. For we were without food for six weeks, living on wild turkey and sour corn meal, without salt.

But eventually we got out of it all right. I went my way; and Bill went his. He later made a fortune, but lost it and died broke—after he went off on trips to Alaska and Guatemala.

So I am staying right on my job. My greatest sport is riding a good,

## Fellowship of Prayer

Daily Lenten Bible reading and meditation prepared for Commission on Evangelism of Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

FRIDAY  
The Winning of a Great Prize

Read Mt. 10:27-30:16. Text: 19:20. And every one that hath left brethren, or sisters, or father, or mother, or children, or land, for my name's sake, shall receive a hundredfold, and shall inherit eternal life.

"Suppose that a man has begun the wonderful Christian way of living. He is reaching out with the energy of faith to work together with the will of God under the leadership of Jesus. That's real exhilaration. Brisk walking is good, too. I like yachting. But it's inertia occasionally gets me.

And although I am 68, I don't feel old enough to play golf!

erasing in Jesus' footsteps, as is manifest one of the great prizes of life, the growing conviction of immortality."

MEDITATION: Jesus was able to see beyond the experience called death, and to know that death was but an incident. He continually urged his disciples to make the largest possible investment in fellowship and in service, for the glories of the

the actual would far, more than compensate for any possible losses or sorrows of life in the flesh. He urged his disciples to contend manfully for this prize which the Father longs to give to those who are prepared to use the gift of eternal life.

PERSONAL QUESTION: What is the best paying investment I am making?

PRAYER: Our Father God, we pray that we may with ever more eagerness seek thee. Make us rejoice in thee, O God, that we may have vision of thy glory and enter into thy fellowship. Let obedience be our great desire and thy love our eternal consolation. "through Christ. Amen.

BROWNWOOD CROWNS  
FOOD SHOW QUEEN  
BROWNWOOD, Texas, April 11.—Amid the splendor, pomp and ceremony of courts, the king and queen of the pure food show here were crowned and entertained their court following the ceremonies.



## Tomorrow Is Straw Hat Day

No matter what the shape of your head or what is your peculiar liking in a new straw, you'll find just the one that you have imagined among this collection.

Take off that old felt tomorrow and don a new straw—it's going to be the order of the day. No longer shall the felt season last—such is the official proclamation—don't dare to disobey.

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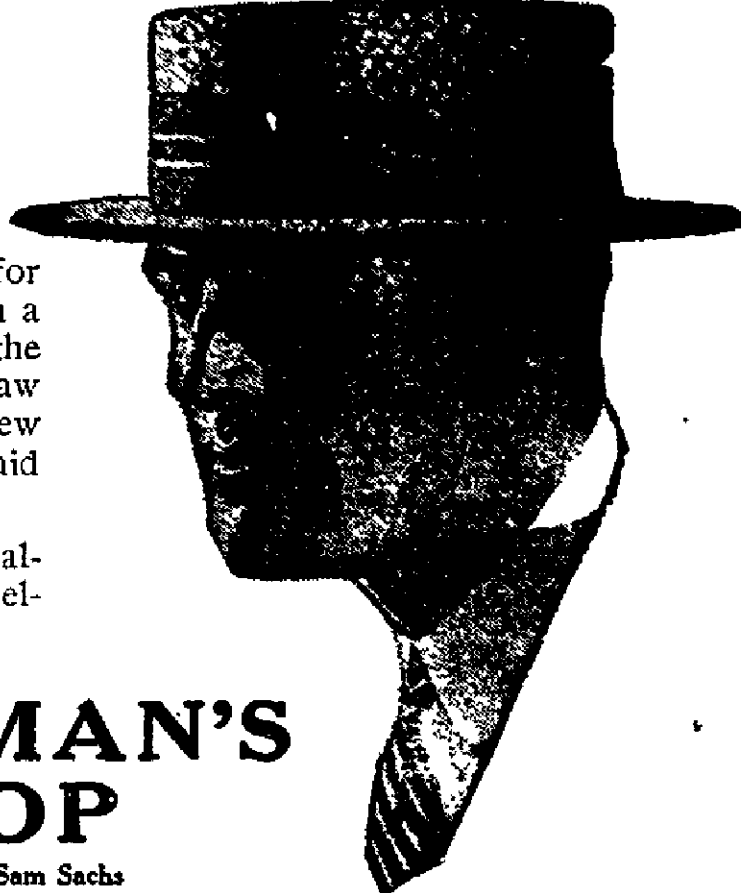
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Tomorrow, Saturday, April 12th, has been officially proclaimed straw hat day for Port Arthur—no need to be backward in coming out in yours for they are all going to be out tomorrow. Obey that impulse and come here for yours tomorrow.

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# Willie Hoppe Shoots Close Stick to Conquer Belgian Title-Holder in Worlds Belt Billiard Contest

## Scotty Ferguson Meets Jack Burns Tonight in Athletic Club

### Wrestlers Go On Mats At 8 Bells

By BILL ARCHER

SCOTTY FERGUSON, 185-pound grappler from Mexico, versus Jack Burns, champion of Beaumont.

Tonight, 8 o'clock.  
Port Arthur Athletic clubrooms, upstairs at 322 Procter.  
That is the athletic program arranged and announced the first of the week, and which will be staged tonight in gala fashion when the two husky wrestlers, both of whom are well-known to Port City fans, get together in the P. A. C. gymnasium this evening. A large following of mat fans is expected at the ringside for the battle.

Burns and Ferguson, since they were matched, have been conditioning before their friends at the athletic club's gym, and are looking fit for the grill. The Beaumont man surprised his pals when he stepped through the ropes in the clubrooms the first evening and exhibited considerable stuff, showing he is in trim for a match of any length, and it became known before he had left the place that he has been wrestling at several places near Beaumont for some time recently.

Ferguson came to Port Arthur with a fast record behind him, and has made many friends since he moved his family here and took up permanent abode.

Tonight he will be given an opportunity to show his wares in good form, and fans, always ready to acclaim the stuff a wrestler displays here, will no doubt be as willing to render their plaudits.

Several snappy reels are on tap to open the show, it is understood. The doors of the gymnasium will probably be swung open at 7:30 o'clock. Management of the athletic club said this morning: "We are putting on a series of athletic entertainments which we plan to continue throughout the existence of this club, and the wrestling match tonight, which has been thrown open to the general public, is just another step in the perfection of the club."

Several permanent seats have been erected in the athletic gymnasium, and the club now has a seating capacity of between 700 and 800 persons, the seats being comfortably arranged.

The large square ring erected in the center of the gym will be heeded in pure white tonight, and will lend an air of the old school to the performance.

### THE NUT CRACKER

WHERE MR. GIBBONS FALLS DOWN

At the present writing, Mr. Thomas Gibbons, the Irish champion of St. Paul, is not inclined to take any more in the popular theory that the world will be a better place if the world's best mechanics who deal in superior makes of mouse traps.

Less than a year ago Mr. Gibbons did something no other man could do; he fought fifteen rounds without getting knocked out, and he won the fight. He was a champion, and he was a champion.

Not only did Mr. Gibbons elude the world's best mechanics, but he won the fight. He was a champion, and he was a champion.

Mr. Gibbons, on the other collection of mice, is being looked upon merely as a something to keep away from. It is not that he is a champion, but he is a champion.

As Dempsey's foremost challenger, Mr. Gibbons appears to be getting more and more popular. He is a champion, and he is a champion.

Now what's the low down, the sub-story about Mr. Gibbons? Why don't the promoters fall all over their tongues trying to match him? Next to Dempsey, he's the best of the heavyweights, and this takes in Wills, Henault, and all the rest.

Yet Gibbons is far from the big money that Wills is from the bareback riding championship of England.

The answer is that Mr. Gibbons does not deal lavishly in the hokum of prizefighting. He is a champion, and he is a champion.

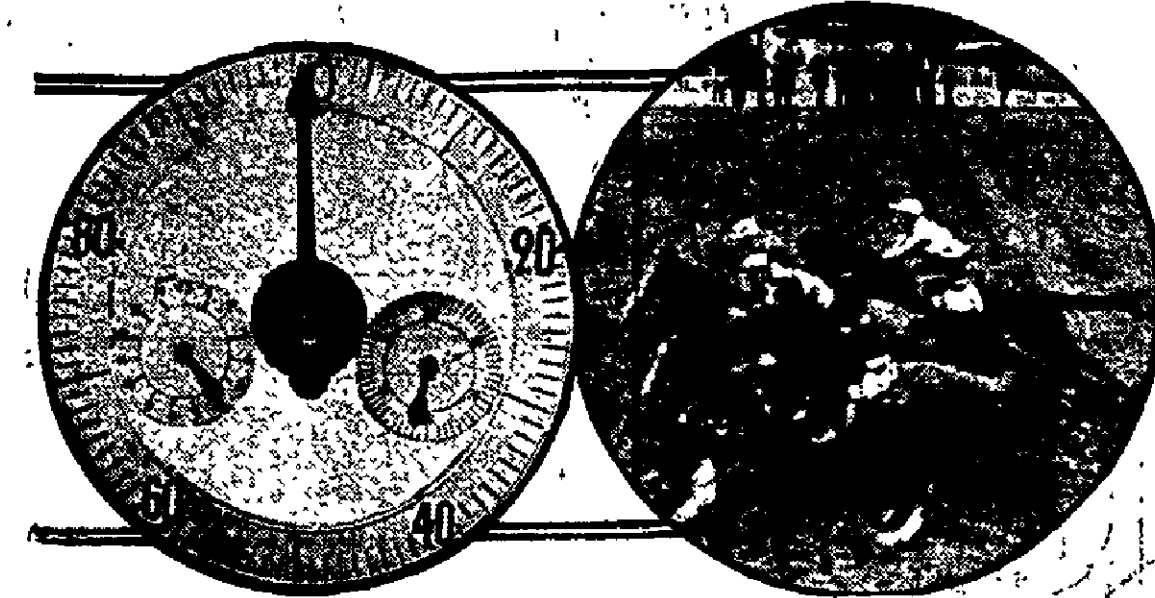
The sport has a queer insect. Difficulties, unaccompanied by color leaves, roll. But give him the old hip-hip-hurrah, let him hear the drums roll, and the champion is there, and he is a champion.

You realize that Mr. Gibbons lacks color when you discover after all these years that he has no fighting name. You read of Dempsey, Miller, Firpo, the Wild Bull, and Wills the Brown Panther. But when you read of St. Paul man he is just Tommy Gibbons.

**LAST SPRING GAME**  
CHICAGO, April 11.—Today's White Sox-Giants game at Indianapolis will be the last training game of the Sox away from home. Tomorrow they meet the Giants here for a two-day series.

**DELANEY WINS**  
BOSTON, April 11.—Jack Delaney, Bridgeport middleweight, won a 10-round decision from George Robinson, Cambridge.

### Camera Clock Will Eliminate all Disputes at Olympic Games



A CAMERA speed clock that will tend to eliminate any chance for dispute in the Olympic games, has been invented by Maurice Branger. It registers the time to a hundredth part of a second and at the same instant takes a photograph of the finish to eliminate any question as to the winner. A thin string stretched across the finish line breaks when touched, registers the time and snaps the photo. The picture shows the clock, a close finish in a horse race, and how accurate the timing apparatus works the camera to catch the finish.

### STILL BUILDING HIS BALL CLUB

Bill Killifer Refuses to Buy Baseball Material

NEW YORK, April 10.—Several years ago during a minor league meeting Bill Killifer was asked why he didn't spend some of the millions reputed to be back of the Chicago Cubs and get himself a ball club. Killifer replied that he never would have a club if he had to buy one.

"He's a great pitcher, one of the greatest," said Moran. "He was a star when he joined the club. Seemed to know just how to pitch from the very start. I wouldn't trade him for any pitcher in either league."

Donahue's career as a big leaguer is a most remarkable one. He was a winner from his debut. He is rated one of the most effective pitchers in the National League, generally credited with being the brainiest.

When a major league club picks a star up from nowhere, he instantly becomes a topic of conversation in baseball. The case of Donahue was no exception.

The story was that Cincinnati had coaxed Donahue into signing by presenting him with an automobile as the bait. That was the tale that was broadcast by the other National League club that failed to land him.

Recently, in conversation with Donahue, I asked him as to the truth of the story. He expressed sorrow that it wasn't the truth.

Donahue admitted that the salary offered him by the Cincinnati club was the same as that of the other National League club seeking his services. His reason for going to Cincinnati made it apparent to me why he is one of the game's greatest pitchers.

The story about the gift of a "fiver" winning my signature to a Cincinnati contract is all wrong.

"The scout of one National League club fed me up on praise, said I would be a star from the start."

The Cincinnati scout dwelled on the fact that Pat Moran was a great developer of pitchers and I would profit under his direction.

"I signed with Cincinnati simply because I believed my chances of making the grade in the National League would be much better with Pat Moran as my manager."

"I have never regretted the choice."

### Long Legs Help To Kinsey, Hurdle Star

URBANA, Ill., April 11.—The records show that the leading high hurdles have been strapping leg fellows with long legs. Bob Simpson, Earl Thompson, John P. Nicholson and Kraenzlein were all in the six-foot class.

Great hurdles do not leap but step over the barrier. They take the hurdle in their stride and must go on three and a half feet, the height of the hurdle. Many are surprised to learn that the stride also is 12 to 14 feet in length. No chance for the short-legged man.

Dan Kinsey, new hurdling sensation at the University of Illinois, who has already tied the world's record over two 10-yard stiles, is no exception to the rule of physical requirements. Dan Towers, six feet, weight 170 and is extremely long in limb.

He jumps over the high hurdles like a bird. Take all hurdles meaning that the high leg lanky over the hurdle while the right trails.

### BERLENBACH GIVEN PERMIT TO CANCEL GO

NEW YORK, April 11.—In order to take a much needed rest, Berlenbach, the one mean punch man, has been permitted to cancel his scheduled match with Tex Dwan at Philadelphia on Monday next. Young Strubling, the Georgia youth, who recently defeated Mike McHugh, world's champion, has been substituted for the knockout king. It was announced.

### ODDS ON SARAZEN JUMP SIX POINTS

NEW YORK, April 11.—Impressions have been shown by Sarazen, Mike W. K. Vandenhul, great 12-year old in training at the Belmont track for the Kentucky Derby, has caused odds on him to be increased 6 to 2 in the early betting. Early winter prices were 2 and 3 to 1 on him.

Miller give it some offensive strength but it is none too strong on the defense.

O'Farrell and Hartnett are the regular catchers but the sturdy and durable O'Farrell thrives so much on work that he will do most on the job behind the bat.

George Alexander, who seems to be bothered little by age, leads the pitching staff with Aldridge, Kaufmann, Keen and Osborne as the other regulars.

Medeiros Outfield  
Statz, Heathcote and Miller form the outfield combination. Statz and Lars.

### SPALLA, FIRPO SAIL FOR U. S.

Both Boxers Seek 'Gravy' In Gotham Arena

BUENOS AIRES, April 11.—What was at first believed to be a tidal wave was discovered today to have been only the tremendous displacement of water occasioned by the boarding of the liner Western World by two of the biggest things in South America—Ermano Spalla and Luis Angel Firpo.

Tex Rickard, the magnate, that lured the heavyweights from the southern continent, was not working fast enough for Spalla, the Italian champion, who boarded the steamer at the last minute, announcing that he was going to New York to arrange his contracts there.

Firpo, Comes Along  
When Firpo heard that his rival, whom he recently conquered, was en route for New York, the "Wild Bull of the Pampas" made a rush for the boat. If Spalla got aboard at the last minute, it was a matter of seconds as huge Luis galloped up the gangplank, luggage in hand.

Firpo said he was only going to Montevideo, but the unconfirmed rumor is that with Romero already in New York and Spalla en route the "Wild Bull" decided the going was good and decided to go along before the "gravy" was all gone.

### CHANGE DATE OF MILL

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Takes Belgian Champion To Whirlwind Finish

NEW YORK, April 11.—William Hoppe, world's billiard champion, retained the title at the close of his 1500-match with Edouard Stormans, Belgian champion, here last night. The final score was 1500 to 038.

Stormans won the third and final block by a score of 518 to 500, but Hoppe had obtained such a lead in the second block that he was at no time in danger.

After a benefit, performance Hoppe will start an exhibition tour to the Pacific coast in company with Jake Schaeffer and Welker Cochran.

### UMPIRES SIGNED FOR NORTHWEST

SEATTLE, April 11.—Glen Davis has been named to umpire in the Northwest Washington Baseball League for the 1924 season by President George Downer. He has had considerable experience in handling the indicator in amateur games.

Davis is now a cashier in a Mount Vernon bank. His baseball experience covers making several letters on the University of Washington team and playing on several nines in this league. Last season he played utility for Mount Vernon.

Peck makes the second umpire signed by Downer for this season, Ed Kennedy being lined up a week ago. One more umpire is needed and E. Downer is casting his eyes about for a reliable man who can call them to the satisfaction of both players and fans.

### REMINGTON TEAM IS RIFLE SHOOT WINNER

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The National Rifle association announced that the Remington Arms club of Bridgeport, Conn., had won the civilian club gallery rifle championship with a score of 29943000, one point better than the Quinipiac Rifle and Revolver club of New Haven, Conn.

The women's intercollegiate championship was won by the University of Washington girls' team with a score of 2753; the men's intercollegiate championship went to George Washington University with 2019.

Modesto, Cal., high school won the high school championship with 2222 and the military school championship was a walkaway for St. John's military academy, Delafield, Wis., with 2002.

### NOT TO BOX GENE

CHICAGO, April 11.—Floyd Fitzsimmons, Michigan City, Ind., fight promoter, who is arranging the Carpenter-Gibbons fight for his home arena July 4, today denied the Frenchman would meet Gene Tunney in New York in May. Carpenter will fight Gibbons for me before he fights anyone else or he won't fight at all," Fitzsimmons said.

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OH, LOOK AT THAT—A PICTURE OF ME IN MY WEDDING DRESS—GIVEN ME LONG SWEETER—THAN A CARLOAD OF AMERICAN CIGARETTES—WHEN I PICKED HER OUT I KNEW MY GOOD LUCK WAS ALMOST EQUAL TO MY GOOD LUCK—

IT SEEMS ONLY YESTERDAY WHEN WE WALKED DOWN THE CENTER AISLE— IF YOU COULD KILL A GUY I WOULD HAVE DIED WHILE I WAS SEARCHING MY POCKETS TRYING TO FIND THE WEDDING RING—

IF I WERE THE GREATEST MAN IN THE WORLD I WOULDN'T BE HALF GOOD ENOUGH TO THE HER SHOE LACES— TALK ABOUT BEAUTY AND THE BEAST— WHY, A NO-GOOD GUY LIKE I AM OUGHT TO CONSIDER IT AN HONOR TO BE ALLOWED TO LIVE IN THE SAME CITY WITH SUCH A BEAUTIFUL ANGEL—

WHEN I THINK OF THE MANY TIMES I HAVE HURT THAT SWEET WOMAN'S FEELINGS WITH UNWIND WORDS AND ACTIONS I FEEL LOWER, THAN THE BOTTOM OF A CEMENT SIDEWALK— FROM NOW ON I AM GOING TO BE A REGULAR GUY— NO MATTER WHAT SHE MAY DO OR SAY I'LL JUST REMEMBER ALL THE WONDERFUL THINGS SHE HAS DONE FOR MY SAKE AND SHOW HER SHE PICKED OUT THE BEST LITTLE HUSBAND THAT MONEY COULD BUY—

**Mom's Kind of Reckless**

BETCHA IF I SAVED UP ALL THE PENNIES I EVER GOT SINCE I WAS A LIL KID I'D BE ONE OF THE RICHEST FELLERS IN THE WORLD! MY GOD FATHER GAVE ME A DOLLAR ONCE! I BLOWED IT IN ON ICE CREAM AND CHALKLIT ALMONDS AND ICE CREAM PUFFS EVERYTHING!

THAT AIN'T SO MUCH! POP GAVE ME TWO DOLLARS LAST CHRISTMAS AN' I BLOWED IT IN ON A FOOTBALL.

HUH! MY UNCLE TOM GAVE ME FIVE DOLLARS FOR MY BIRTHDAY!

WHAT DIDJA BLOW THE FIVE DOLLARS ON?

MOM BLOWED IT IN ON A HAM!

**Freckles and His Friends**

GEE WIZ I BET I FORGOT WHAT I WUZ SENT TO THE STORE FOR— LEAVE ME SEE NOW— LEAVE ME SEE??

MESSE MY POP'LL BUY ME A DOG LIKE FRECKLES, ONEY I DON'T WANT ANY DOG IF IT AIN'T A SMART DOG

IS THAT DOG OF YOURS SMART, FRECKLES?

SMART? IS JUMBO SMART? Y'KNOW WHAT? I WUZ JUST TRYIN' T THINK WHAT MOM SENT ME T' THE STORE FOR, AN' I SAID, "JUMBO, I FORGOT WHAT I WUZ TO GET AT TH' STORE"

AN' HE SET RIGHT DOWN AN' SCRATCHED HIS HEAD T' SEE IF HE COULD THINK WHAT IT WUZ!

**SALESMAN TOM**

HOW ARE YOU GETTING ALONG WITH YOUR FRENCH? CHABLO GUZZ TO SAY "FINE," SAYS SAM, BUT TH' FRENCH ARE HAVING AN AWFUL TIME WITH IT.

HE SAYS HE CHALLENGES YOU TO A DUEL TOMORROW MORNING IN TH' WOODS FOR INSULTING HIM BY BUMPING HIM.

FRENCH LINGO

BUT I DON'T WANT TO FIGHT

THEN THEY'LL BRAND YOU A COWARD AFRAID YELLOU A DISGRACE, ETC.—YOU'RE IN FOR IT

WOULD IT BE A DISHONOR TO REFUSE HIM IF I COULDN'T UNDERSTAND HIM AND HAD NO ONE TO EXPLAIN IT TO ME?

WHY NO—

ALL RIGHT, YOU'RE FIRED

ME NO SPICK ZE FRENCH

**OUR BOARDING HOUSE**

I JUST DROPPED IN HOOPLE, TO SEE HOW YOU WERE FIXED UP ON GARDEN SEED! I'VE GOT A NICE LINE OF STUFF—YEN, AN' EVERY SEED IS GUARANTEED, TOO!

OH YES YES— HAWTHORNE— MIGHTY GLAD YOU CALLED— INDEED YES—

HM—M— COME, WE WILL GO UP TO MY STUDY— ER—AH WHAT HAVE YOU IN EARLY BLOOMING IRIS?

WHAT'S THIS? IS TH' MAJOR GOING TO START A GARDEN?

SAH— THAT'S HIS PET HOCH VENDOR!—TH' SEEDS HE CARRIES IN THAT SATCHEL, BLOOM ON YOUR NOSE!— THAT FLOWER TH' MAJOR IS ASKING ABOUT, IS A QUART OF BORNEO BROTH!

**THE OLD HOME TOWN**

LAST YEAR HE PUT A CHAIN ON THE SOAP AN' IT LASTED SIX MONTHS

YOU SAY IN HIS YOUNGER DAYS HE WAS A HIGH FLIER

NO-NO- HED MAKE THAT TOWEL LONGER IF TH' CEILING WAS HIGHER—

PUT IT UP HIGH AS YOU CAN—

WHUTS TH' FUSS

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE CENTRAL HOTEL HAS FOUND BY DOUBLING THE LENGTH OF THE WASH ROOM ROLLER TOWEL HE CAN GET FOUR MONTHS SERVICE OUT OF EACH TOWEL INSTEAD OF ONE MONTH—

**SEEDY INDIVIDUAL CALLS ON THE MAJOR**

**NO. 30—JACK-IN-THE-BOX IS A HERO!**

Your tail! Lost!" they all cried.

"Will you please help me to find my tail?" asked the patient-leather cat.

"Nancy and Nick and Mister Fuzz Wuzz almost lost their evroites with astonishment. If someone had said, "It's going to rain gundrops tomorrow," they could have been more shocked.

"Your tail! Lost!" they all cried. "Are you sure?"

"Pretty sure," said the cat. "But you can see for yourselves." And he turned slowly around until their astonished eyes beheld his back, as tailless as a guinea pig's.

"Oh, dear!" cried Nancy. "What has happened to it?"

"I was asking you that," answered the cat, brushing a speck of dust off his coat. He was most particular about his appearance.

"It was really my fault," he went on. "I knew that it was loose. Last night when I curled up to go to sleep I noticed that all the stitches were out but one. I decided that I would come to you the first thing this morning and have you sew it on tight. But when I awoke today it gone."

"Stolen!" exclaimed Nick.

"There is only one thing to do," decided Nancy. "We shall all go and ask everybody in Doodfunny Land if he has an extra tail. If he has, then it must be yours."

"Extra!" cried the cat. "Why, some of them have none at all! How about the naphin rabbit?"

"That's so," declared Nancy. "Well, that's all the more reason why someone would have it."

So off they all went. First they met the tin-mouse.

"Turn around and let us see your tail," commanded Mister Fuzz Wuzz sharply.

"Because some one has stolen the cat's," the pipe-cleaner man told him.

"The cat's! Do you think I'd have a cat's tail?" shrieked the mouse.

"Do you think I've lost my sense? Why, I wouldn't have his old tail."

"Tut, tut, tut!" said Mister Fuzz Wuzz. "We believe you. We'll be going on to the next place."

Next they met the Teddy Bear.

"Turn around," commanded Mister Fuzz Wuzz.

"What for?" Teddy asked curiously.

"I want to see your tail."

"Why, I haven't got any tail, good sir," said Teddy. "Are you crazy?"

"Well, I know you hadn't one yesterday, but how do I know what you've got today, but how do I know what you've got today unless you turn around?"

"Well, I won't turn around, and I haven't any tail. Who'd have a tail anyway? They are only in the road."

"They asked the dog and the puppy and the rabbit and the duck and just everybody—but nobody had the cat's tail."

Suddenly they heard a whacking, smacking sound.

The rag doll was cleaning house for the pin-cushion lady and beating her dugs.

And what do you think? She was using Tuss' lovely tail for a carpet beater!

They got her broomstick in a jiffy and Puss got his tail back so it all turned out finely, I'm glad to say.

## CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

The Slaves of Rome

It was dangerous for people to walk along country roads in Italy during early Roman times. There was no telling when a band of slave-traders might swoop down and capture way-farers. Thousands of men, women and children were taken as slaves in this way. Sometimes pirate ships would land near a city and carry off whomever they could catch. Rich Romans complained, "Sometimes these pirates take children of the best families and sell them as slaves."

It often happened that a poor citizen fell into debt. Hard as he tried, he could not pay the money he owed. Then he was sold as a slave.

In some wars the Romans got tens of thousands of prisoners who became slaves. All the rich families in the city had large numbers of slaves. The master could put them to death if he wanted to, but he seldom did so because slaves were worth money. Beatings, however, were common.

There were several slave markets in Rome. The unhappy persons who had been captured were sold at auction. They were trotted around as if they were animals for sale. The usual price was between \$50 and \$1000. (I am speaking in terms of American money. Of course the Romans used different coins.)

Probably the hardest life was led by the slaves who worked on farms. From sunrise to sunset—or even longer—they toiled, picking grapes or olives, caring for herds, and taking care of growing crops. The whip of the overseer was often on their backs.

This picture shows slaves at work on a Roman farm. To the left a slave is receiving a beating.

## Color Cut-Outs

A Joke on Billy

"Every day in every way Billy Cut-out gets stylisher and stylisher, and stylisher," teased Tom Cut-out, his cousin. It was at the second performance of the Fashion Show. "Well if you think this suit is a winner, just you come tomorrow when I make my final appearance," invited Billy with a knowing air. "You'll be so fashionably dressed to your shoes. And what's more, I'm going to get some sort of a reward."

Just then Billy was announced, so he stepped out of the wing and onto the stage. One of Billy's friends in the front row giggled and then another pointed his finger at the book Billy carried. Suddenly Billy realized that all the people in the front rows were laughing and the reason was that he was holding his book upside down.

This dark blue street suit has a gray hat to go with it. Billy wears black shoes with gray hose. Watch for a big surprise tomorrow.

**DALLAS GIRL ROUTS NEGRO WITH KNIFE**

DALLAS, April 11.—Miss Frances Renee put a severe bargain to rout here with a butcher knife when she tried to rob her mother's grocer store. Officers found the negro at a hospital.

**BABY BURNS TO DEATH**

DALLAS, April 11.—The four month old baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams was burned to death when their home was destroyed by fire.



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**A BOY'S POCKETS**  
LONDON, April 11.—Knocked down and run over by a taxicab, a boy named Arthur Parker, 9, had in his pockets, two whiplash-tops, three peg tops, 73 brass button buttons, 40 marbles in a bag, a pair of clappers, two oranges, a wooden cigarette holder, 10 cigars, a small mouth organ and a few's harp.

**LONG AT THE GATE**  
ALTON, Eng., April 11.—With the death of Dr. William Curtis, 87, there has come to an end a 204 years' family medical association with the town. Both the father and grandfather of Dr. Curtis practiced here. Dr. Curtis treated the descendants of his grandfather's patients. He had practiced 53 years.

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# LOGAN EXPLAINS CITY FINANCES

Attacks The News And Street Car Company

(Continued from Page 1.)

As said from the time of the controversy between the city commission and the street car company over the item of paying between the tracks on Houston avenue. Referring to appraisal of the People's Gas company plant a year ago, when he said money from the contingent fund was used in making appraisal engineers to do this work, the mayor charged that The News was expecting a "cut."

"You can see by the paper the kind of fellows who run it," he said.

Applause greeted the statement of the amount of money to the credit of the city in the First National bank.

**Resolution Adopted**

"When Earl Richardson's report after auditing the city books is received I will prove the city's finances are in good shape and inform the world if I have to do it by use of circulars," the mayor said.

At the conclusion of the meeting a lengthy resolution expressing confidence in the mayor, the city commissioners and their conduct of their offices was read by Judge Shivers.

Motion was made that it be adopted. This was seconded, and when the measure was put to a vote, about one-third of those present raised their hands. No negative votes were expressed. The chairman declared the resolution unanimously passed.

Nearly half the capacity of the Air-dome was filled, estimates setting the attendance at between four and five hundred. A light sprinkle of rain before the meeting was closed caused several to leave, the inclement weather probably preventing a larger attendance.

The mayor said:

"I am indeed thankful to the committee of your citizens who arranged this meeting. There is much of importance that I have to tell you ladies and gentlemen since your local publication ceased to be a public forum. At the end of my speech I'll tell you why."

"As you've heard so much about the financial condition of the city, I'll begin with the budget system."

**How Budget Is Made**

"Each spring each department head of the city is called together to tell the commissioners the needs of their departments as of April 1 this year until March 31 of next year."

"When we have expense figures for a city the size of Port Arthur, the increase in the expenses is not carried out by the increased valuations."

"As the result of this condition the departments are cut down to about two-thirds of the figures. This is exclusive of the water and sewer funds. None of this money goes into running the city. From the amount which we will raise by taxation is computed the amount of the interest and sinking fund."

"The receipts of the city for the last year were: Taxation, \$208,000; police, \$22,000; garbage, \$18,000; dog taxes, a few hundred poll taxes, \$4,000 or \$5,000. Taking in everything, we had a total of \$300,000."

"Against these we have the following: Salary, mayor's office and commissioners, \$42,500; city attorney, \$5,200; city clerk, \$3,500; collector's office, \$6,100; corporation court \$2,000; engineer's office \$4,400; fire department, \$97,000 (not all spent); health, \$12,500; garbage, \$18,000; police, \$22,000; street and bridge fund, \$83,000 (out of this amount must come the lighting rental for the city which is running close to \$30,000); abattoir, \$15,000; parks and pleasure pier, \$3,000; publications in the local papers, \$2,000; drainage, \$14,200; interest, \$2,700; buildings, \$5,270; electrical inspections \$1,400; Port Arthur library, \$6,025; miscellaneous, \$1,000; land, \$750. This totals \$300,000."

**Street and Bridge Fund**

"The \$83,000 in the streets and bridge department must take care of the \$20,000 for lighting. From the remainder the culverts must be taken care of. You know we have 1000 blocks of shell streets in Port Arthur, many of them being down since 1919 and 1920."

"Of this amount \$1000 was expended on the repair of Procter street. This leaves but \$16,000 in the fund. This

money would allow less than one load of shell to the block."

"The cost of upkeep for the streets has increased since 1904 when \$2000 was appropriated; 1906, \$4500; 1910, \$7,000; 1912, \$9,000; 1913, \$14,000. At this time the automobile began to be popular and the cost of keeping up the streets increased, for in 1917 we see \$18,000 allotted; 1919, \$27,000; 1920, \$22,500; 1921, \$24,000; 1922, \$32,000, and 1923, \$38,000."

"There is one thing I wish to call your attention to, and that is the present administration has never voted a cent of bonds for the repair of shell streets with the exception of the last bond issue voted, which is not yet available. Under the terms of the last bond issue these streets would be repaired with four inches of shell with four inches of gravel topping."

"In the interest and sinking fund, in December of 1922 we needed \$30,000 to make a payment on some bonds which were due. We had like amount in 1923 with which to pay this interest."

**Claims City's Debt Paid**

"No money is now due the First National bank, and the March bills have been paid."

"The water and sewer department under this administration has put in a great deal of improvements, 5000 feet of sewer pipe was laid last year, this draining an additional 110,000 feet of sewers."

"In the water department 5,570 feet of two inch pipe, 150 feet of four inch; 16,700 feet of six inch and 2,500 feet of 12 inch pipe were laid, the total cost being \$92,000."

"One hundred and twenty-one million gallons of sewerage was pumped and 300,000,000 gallons of drinking water was pumped. A new well was put down at Port Neches which cost the city \$12,000."

"Despite these expenditures the water and sewer department March 31, closed their books with a balance of \$15,000 to their credit."

**That Contingent Fund**

"While I'm talking about the various funds it might be well to talk before the meeting was closed caused several to leave, the inclement weather probably preventing a larger attendance."

"In 1922 the contingent fund was spent for gas appraisal. You didn't hear any howling about that. The Port Arthur News was using gas and marble wanted to get a cut in this."

"Now we spent the contingent fund for drainage to give the fellow on the back streets some relief and you've never heard the last of it. When our drainage funds got low I called Mr. Wade and Mr. Wiley, together and we talked it over. We decided on the transfer under the rights given us in the charter which provides the city commission may spend this money for the benefit of the public. In 1922 there was \$2,000 in the contingent fund."

**Salaries of Officials**

"You have read a great deal about the costs in regard to salaries, and they are attempting to show labor was cheaper now than it was then. For instance the salaries in many cases have been doubled. The mayor formerly drew \$125 a month. Now he gets \$410. I don't know whether he's worth it or not, but he gets it. The commissioners drew \$125 a month, now they draw \$200; health officer drew \$80, now he draws \$200; police chief drew \$250, now \$300; fire chief drew \$125 then, now \$195; city engineer then drew \$250, now \$350."

"Last year we spent the contingent fund. We are putting in the figures again this year and if we decide we should use it for the public's benefit we are not going to ask the Port Arthur News about it."

"The general fund, you are told, was in excellent shape. If such were true we could fix the streets."

**Never Read About Them**

"There were some things accomplished by this administration which you never read about."

"You never read about the repairs to Procter street which amounted to \$4600, which we'll get back into the general fund, if we win our suit against the bond company which bonded the paving."

"You never read about the white wash."

"You never read about the settling of the land suit over the right to our claim to six acres of the Port Neches park. This was accomplished for \$3000."

"You didn't notice where the city depository was paying three per cent on our accounts against two per cent formerly. You didn't notice where the Red Cross, the Day Nursery, the Hospital were all taken care of out of the funds."

**Compared With Other Years**

"As for comparing the budget of this administration against any previous administration, and this is not offered in a spirit of criticism, it is almost impossible to keep under the line."

"In 1913 \$80,000 was to run the city. It took \$93,000—\$13,000 over the amount. In 1916 \$97,000 was allowed, it took \$99,000—\$2,000 over. If we could just get this information before the citizens I'm sure matters would right themselves."

"But I mean to put out a financial statement when the figures for the past year are completed, if I have to do it with circulars."

Applause greeted this remark by the mayor. He continued:

"In 1917 \$130,000 was allowed to run the city—it took only \$139,000, a saving of \$1000; in 1918 \$144,000 was allowed, \$138,000 was spent, \$14,000 over the limit; in 1919 \$171,000 was allowed against expenditures of \$187,000; in 1920 \$204,000 was allowed against \$211,000, \$7,000 over; 1921 was \$240,000 under, \$204,000 being allotted and but \$36,000 being spent; 1922 \$268,000 was allowed and \$206,000 spent, another saving of \$2,000. In 1923 \$350,000 was allowed but the figures are not yet available on the standing of the various funds."

**Bond Indenture**

"Now about the bond issue which they are attempting to hold up. The bond issue was voted to pave the streets and to shell them, to give more drainage and sanitary sewers and cover over Shreveport avenue."

"If the injunction is not stopped you'll have to pay taxes while it's going on."

"One fellow with a printing company here wanted me to get all the bids and open them to let him see the prices on the printing estimates furnished the city commission. He would then do the printing for five per cent under a lowest bid if I would let him have them. I told him that we were not in the habit of doing things that way. That shows what kind of cattle we have to deal with."

**Attacks The News**

"Now about the local publication. You've all read of the shovels and the jolly beans. I have a number of clippings here. February 7 (reading) clipping from The Port Arthur Daily News—February 7 'City claimed to have \$300,000 deficit. We didn't have any such deficit. It's a pure D. D. unburnished lie.' February 8 (reading) 'City can't meet payroll. Well we did. That's another pure D. D. lie.' February 9 (reading further), 'Nothing but bond issue will save city's finances.' March 21, 'City getting ready to pay off.' Well, we are ready and we're not in the red at all. (Applause.)"

"Now I'll go back to the promise I made you at the beginning and tell you why The News is doing this."

**His Version of Why**

"In 1922 you remember a bond issue was passed to pave Houston avenue, the street car company being asked to pave between their tracks. Then it was The News began stating the records of the city were in terrible shape. In November, 1922, an accident happened on Procter street which might not have happened if a parkway had been arranged down the center of the street in the business district. Howard Smith said so, so it must be so, the paper said. During this time did you ever see an editorial demanding paving on Houston avenue between the car tracks?"

"On January 29 a committee appeared before the city commission in an effort to get better transportation service. On February 8, Howard Smith was to appear before the city commission and explain the chances of the street railway company putting in any extensions of service in the near future."

"On February 7 The News began printing stories about the city's financial condition. That is easy to get through. When the city has anything they want to get in print it cannot. I and City Engineer Heipman have and articles 'lost' which were taken to The News to be published."

"No Fight With Smith

"We have no fight with Howard Smith. We didn't beging for attorneys; we have tried not to be harsh and are using the attorneys as the last resort."

"Last October I began corresponding with Smith relative to the condition of the street railway."

At this point the mayor read three letters which had passed between his office and Howard Smith, general manager of the street railway. The city had justified some immediate action be taken to remedy the street-car transportation problem in the city, he said.

The action of the transportation committee of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, of which the mayor is chairman, was reviewed by the mayor. The action recommended additional construction of lines in the city street car system. The mayor continued:

"He (Smith) asked for an additional 15 days time and asked that this administration guarantee that no paving would have to be done on the new link for a period of 10 years. We agreed to all this and that's coming square. I'll say."

**Ready for Action**

"The joint ordinance is drawn and ready for action Monday. I'm from Missouri, and unless the street car company comes before us and lays their cards on the table the lid will be torn off."

"When we borrowed \$7,200 the world knew about it. It was not only printed in this city but the papers went to other cities."

"Beaumont the next day borrowed \$264,000, but you never heard a word about it in the Enterprise. The Enterprise is owned by Beaumont people who are interested in their city. The News is not owned by Port Arthur people."

"If it was a real newspaper, I'd want its support but as it is I don't care for it. I tried to get their support but couldn't."

"You can see the paper by the class of fellows who are on it."

"Here is a proposition which is a chance for some one to make some money. The NMB has been looking for something at which to make money for some time."

"The next time any of you hear some white-livered fellow our telling what I've done or haven't done catch him by the neck and bring him up to my office and I'll pay you \$10 each."

"We are not perfect, but after all is said and done I'll step down with a clear conscience. As for them, I accept their challenge. I defy them. I thank you."

**Shivers Introduces Him**

Applause was accorded Robert Shivers and the mayor as they stepped to the platform. Attorney Shivers who acted as chairman of the meeting is a law partner of Judge A. W. Dyeus in Corporation Court.

"My fellow citizens," said Shivers, "I assure you it is a great pleasure."

**BACK NEARLY KILLED HIM**

**Soon Recovers Health After Taking Dr. Thatcher's Liver and Blood Syrup**

Dr. Thatcher's Liver and Blood Syrup started me on the road to good health and I am well and strong," said J. J. Gee, 1617 Crump St., Ft. Worth, Texas.

"My stomach was all out of order and I was all the time having trouble with gas and indigestion. Headaches made me miserable and my back would nearly kill me. I had rheumatism in my legs and sometimes would get so dizzy I'd come near falling. My nerves were wrecked and I couldn't half sleep at night."

"After trying many other preparations without getting anywhere I at last got hold of Dr. Thatcher's Liver and Blood Syrup and began to mend right off."

Dr. Thatcher's Liver and Blood Syrup is sold by all druggists and if you are not satisfied the purchase price will be refunded.—Adv.

to me tonight to be called by the citizens of your and my city in a most important meeting."

"I haven't McAlister's power, but I can forecast a wonderful future for Port Arthur. I came here last July. I like the city."

"Solutions when asked what he wished most replied that he wanted the power to govern his people with justice. I'm sure that the young man whom I'm about to introduce has a prayer like that of King Solomon."

"We can afford to be divided on many questions such as religious and political questions, but when the best interests of the city are at stake we should be of one mind and work for these interests."

"United States is the best country in the world; Texas the best state in the Union; Jefferson county the best county in Texas; and Port Arthur the best city in Jefferson county. (Applause.)"

**Believes in Mayor**

"I have no unkind word for any individual, group, institution or organization. You have a great city, but in all cities there are two classes of people, the good and the bad. We should, however, have a united interest for our town."

"I ask you to listen with patience and sympathy to what the mayor will tell you. I believe he's capable, honest and sincere. If he gets the co-operation he'll make good for he's a fellow that takes advantage of every opportunity to make good."

"If he gets support and a square deal the citizens will be informed of the city government. What he tells and believes will be true. It is a great pleasure to see such a crowd here tonight, especially for the ladies, for it shows they are taking advantage of a chance to learn about their city. It gives me great pleasure to introduce your mayor."

**Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the SEABOARD STATE BANK & TRUST COMPANY**

At Port Arthur, State of Texas, at the close of business on the thirty-first day of March, 1924, published in The Port Arthur News, a newspaper published at Port Arthur, State of Texas, on the eleventh day of April, 1924.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral ..... \$196,290.46

Loans, real estate ..... 65,430.15

Bonds and stocks ..... 2,824.80

Other real estate ..... 51,602.39

Furniture and fixtures ..... 9,465.34

Due from other banks and bankers, and cash on hand ..... 95,821.51

Interest in depositors' guaranty fund ..... 2,856.82

Assessment deposits ..... 6,434.02

Guaranty fund ..... 13,301.78

Other resources ..... 13,301.78

**LIABILITIES**

Capital stock paid in ..... \$100,000.00

Individual deposits, subject to check ..... 277,771.10

Savings deposits ..... 25,803.37

Time certificates of deposits ..... 11,400.00

Cashier's checks ..... 4,134.07

Bills payable and rediscounts ..... 26,127.65

Bonds deposited ..... 2,200.00

**Total ..... \$447,430.37**

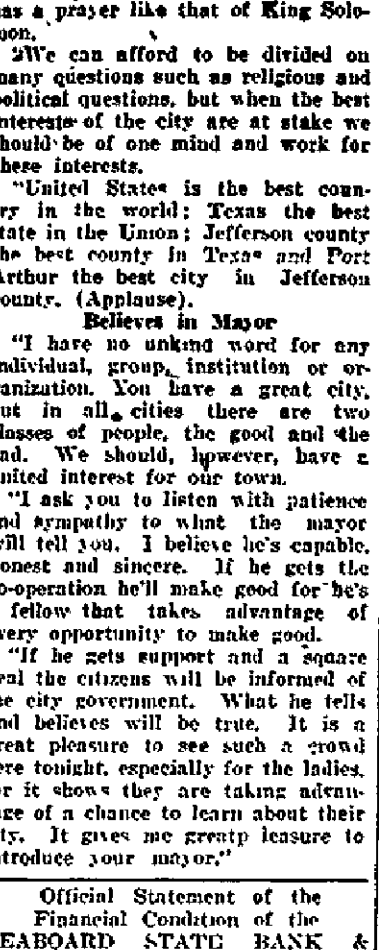
State of Texas, County of Jefferson: W. A. S. Pollock, as president, and B. D. Logan, as cashier, of said bank, do hereby solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

A. S. POLLOCK, president.  
B. D. LOGAN, cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn before me this tenth day of April, A. D. 1924.

A. N. SCINIS, Notary public Jefferson county, Texas.  
Correct—attest:  
J. E. BANGARD,  
H. E. BRINKMAN,  
F. I. WOOD, Directors.

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**\$16.95**

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Beautiful straightline models, striking silhouettes, smart basques, new overblouse effects, tunic dresses, draped dresses and the modish boyishform styles.

**The Materials**

High-grade Contons, crepe-back satins, beautiful Georgettes, shot taffetas, genuine Roshanaras and a variety of attractive sport materials.

**The Colors**

There are plenty of the popular black and navy. Also the new cocoa, tan, gray, rose, poudre blue, cerise—in fact, every wanted new color and combination.

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40 Different Styles to Choose From

**500 Bags in All**

Presenting such high grade materials as real calf, ecraze lamb, beaver calf, long grain and alligator finished leathers—tooled leathers, decorative gold edging—fully lined and fitted.

These brilliant, new leather handbags, ready for you tomorrow, constitute something like a modern miracle. Their merit is so very high—their sale price so very low. Genuinely super fine in each and every particular, they are bags to invite eager appraisal—open admiration—frank wonderment that even we could possibly give you such majestic VALUE at so insignificant a figure.

**"Tom Sawyer" Wash Suits**

Guaranteed not to fade—these suits come in extra quality kiddie cloth and in a good range of colors, all neatly braid trimmed, sizes 2 to 8 years. **\$1.95**

**Little Folks' Bonnets**

This news in particular concerns bonnets—but you'll save many dimes by getting to our infants' department for everything the infant needs for his or her spring wardrobe.

Beautiful crepe de chine hats in pink, blue, and am rose. **\$4.50 to \$5.95**

Others in taffetas in all the new colors and in pretty new styles. **\$2.50 to \$3.95**

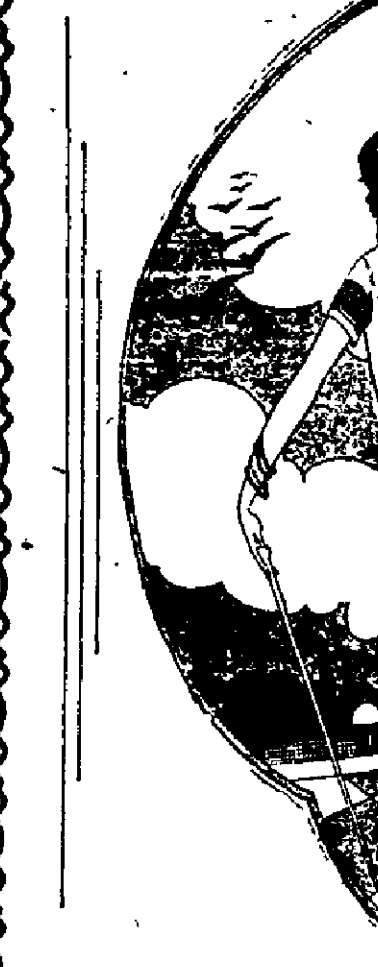
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This news in particular concerns bonnets—but you'll save many dimes by getting to our infants' department for everything the infant needs for his or her spring wardrobe.

Beautiful crepe de chine hats in pink, blue, and am rose. **\$4.50 to \$5.95**

Others in taffetas in all the new colors and in pretty new styles. **\$2.50 to \$3.95**

**New Milans and Leghorns \$3.95 to \$6.95**

Be sure you buy your Easter caps and hats at Deutser's infants' department.

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